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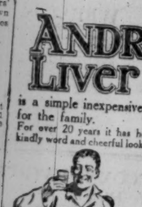

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In connection with the strike of coal dockers there was yesterday to be seen at the port the following manifesto of the employers and importers exhibited at the offices or yards of the firms concerned in the stoppage:—

"Dublin Coal Merchants' Association.—The men discharging the steamers having ceased work, and stocks of coal having been exhausted, the members have been compelled, with regret, to close all their yards until the men agree to return to work on the following terms:—

"(1) The fillers discharging steamers 6d. per ton. All steamers once started to be worked through until completed, without stop or charge for overtime.

"(2) Draymen, wagonmen, and yard-fillers to receive an additional war bonus at the rate of 2s. a week.

"(3) No work can be resumed on any steamers or yards for any firms who are members of the Coal Merchants' Association from the 15th July until the men agree to resume work for all the merchants."

FRESH NOTICES ISSUED BY CASUAL DOCKERS.

Fresh notices have been issued or given by Dublin dockers of the casual description who work with several different steamship companies trading to and from the Liffey. Those may state in which ask for further increases in rates of wages paid for the loading and unloading of general cargo at the North and South Walls, will fall in during the present week, and it is expected that this movement will be of a general character, affecting casual labourers all round the port, where there is a shortage of such shipping assistance at present.

COMPANIONS OF ST. PATRICK.

THE ELECTIONS.

The annual general meeting of the Companions of St. Patrick was held in Jury's Hotel, Dublin, on the evening of the 14th inst. Sir John Irwin, J.P., Vice-President, presided. The Hon. Secretaries reported that all the books, pictures, and other club property had been destroyed by the fire which occurred at the Imperial Hotel, and a claim had been furnished for the value of same.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Joseph Hatch, J.P., a resolution of condolence was passed to the relatives of the late Sir James Talbot Power, Bart., LL.D., J.P., who was one of the founders of the Companionship, and President for some years. The adoption of the report and statement of accounts for the past year was, upon the motion of Mr. George Ryan, B.Sc., seconded by Dr. Charles, carried unanimously. The Hon. the Earl of Granard, K.P., was, on the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. T. Callan Macardle, J.P., unanimously re-elected President.

The following were, on the motion of Alderman D. Quaid, seconded by Mr. J. J. McDonald, elected Vice-Presidents:—Sir John Irwin, J.P.; His Honor Judge Todd, Recorder of Dublin; T. Callan Macardle, J.P., and Mr. E. P. Monk, J.P. Messrs. E. N. Richardson and George Ryce were re-elected Hon. Secretaries. Mr. H. A. Neale and Alderman W. F. Cotton, D.L., M.P., were re-elected Hon. Treasurers; and, on the motion of Mr. James McMahon, seconded by Mr. Thomas Neary, Mr. Michael Cooney was re-elected Hon. Auditor. Acting upon the suggestion of the Chairman, it was decided to postpone filling the position of Chairman of the Grand Committee for the present.

The Grand Committee was requested to secure premises for a new headquarters for the Companionship, and satisfaction was expressed at the interest which the newly-enrolled members are taking in the organisation. The proceedings then terminated.

INCORPORATED SOCIETY'S SCHOLARSHIPS.

At the recent examinations held by the Incorporated Society, for entrance scholarships to Celbridge Collegiate School, the first place amongst the sixty-one candidates from the province of Leinster was obtained by Dorothy Fulcher, a pupil of Greenlanes School, Clontarf.

Master T. W. Hasleton, Castleknock National School, has been awarded the first assisted scholarship into Mountjoy Collegiate School, Dublin. He was prepared by the Principal, Miss Isabella Collins.

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LAW REPORTS.

BELFAST MERCHANT'S ESTATE.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before the Master of the Rolls, the administration of the estate of the late Lancelot Curtis Montgomery, a merchant, of Belfast, was considered. The deceased had been well-known tea merchants in Belfast and did a business over £50,000. By his will he left his estate to his wife for life or during her widowhood. The gross value of the estate was declared in equal shares to his children, Alyn Hall Montgomery and John Montgomery. The last-named is missing, and although many efforts had been made no trace of his whereabouts could be discovered. The testator's wife and Montgomery have been turned into a private limited company, and practically all the ordinary shares were taken by the two principals. Notice of these shares could be given to the public, so long as any member of the company or the wife or daughter of a member wished to purchase them. One of the executors now wished to carry out at to how these shares were to be disposed of, and another matter was as to a payment of £25 5/5 which had been received by the executors on account of the keeping of the business going for the benefit of the estate.

The Master of the Rolls made a number of rulings on the certificate, which allowed the executors to take credit for the payment of £25 5s. 5d., and gave liberty before the personal representatives to carry on the business, with power to bring in the widow and debentures in the company in the name of the nominee of the executors. The executors were directed to bring into Court the balance due from them on the estate. All the parties were allowed their costs.

Brown, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Wheeler and Dixon) appeared for the plaintiffs, the executors; Mr. Dillon (instructed by Messrs. Johnston and Johnston) for Mrs. Wm. Alexander, one of the executors; Mr. James Henderson (instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth) for Mrs. Montgomery, and Mr. Alex. B. Montgomery, son of the deceased.

HORSE-DEALERS AT LAW.

In the King's Bench Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Barton, in the case of Andrews v. Caldwell.

Mr. Wood (instructed by Mr. W. F. M'Coy) applied on behalf of the plaintiff, Archibald Anderson, horse-dealer, of Liverpool, for the final judgment in the action against Mr. E. Caldwell horse-dealer, of Clonsilla. The application was for £109 and costs. For the defendant it was opposed on the ground that there was a counter-claim to be tried in the case, and that there was a contract that he believed the defendant stating in effect that dealings between the parties were a partnership to which he was entitled to a moiety of the transactions, and the profits of the business.

Mr. Justice Barton allowed the case to stand further adjourned for a week, to enable the plaintiff to file the pleadings in the case, the purpose of which was explained by Mr. W. F. M'Coy) instructed by Mr. C. E. Murphy) for the defendant.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, July 18th, 1916.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

CHANCERY DIVISION.

LORD CHANCELLOR'S COURT.—At 10.30—Chancery Chambers, before the Master. Mr. Murphy—Ex parte, minors of Mathews—Wilson v. Wilson—Cleary v. Cleary—Bennett v. Bennett—Bennett v. Bennett—Bennett v. Bennett

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LEGAL NOTICES.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise have any claims or demands whatsoever against the estate and effects of the said Anna Williams, who died on the 15th day of March, 1916, are hereby required, on or before the 15th day of August, 1916, to send in the same in writing, signed Solicitors for the Administrator, at their office, 3 Dawson street, Dublin, the Executor named in the Will of the deceased, having proved of said Will and one Codicil was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice in Ireland, on the 15th day of April, 1916, and that after the said 15th day of August, 1916, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
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Empire Theatre—7 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—7 and 9 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—2.30, 5, 7, and 9 p.m.
The Carlton Cinema—2 to 10.30 p.m.
Fete Concert, Central Model Schools, 10.30 o'clock.
Recorder's Sessions, 11 o'clock.
Munitions Tribunal, Northern Police Court, 2 o'clock.

The Irish Times.
TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1916.

Progress in Picardy.

We publish to-day a detailed map which will help our readers to appreciate the nature of the formidable obstacles that our indomitable infantry are continuing to master in Picardy. It represents the German first line system of defence on the front of the present advance. Ovillers-la-Boisselle, which virtually marks the western limit of the offensive, will be found in the left-hand top corner of the map; it stands above the valley of the Ancre, and further up the valley is Thiepval, the scene of the splendid attack of the Ulster Division. In the opposite corner the map carries our lines to the point of junction with the French north of Hardecourt. Between the original British front line and the approximate line on July 12th, by which date the whole of the enemy's first system of defence was conquered, this wide stretch of country is scored with an intricate network of trenches and wire entanglements. The map reveals graphically the extraordinary complexity of this defensive system. The trench labyrinth was buttressed by natural features in the country-side. This rural district offers a more favourable *terrain* for offensive operations than the mining region which was the scene of our effort last autumn in Artois, but it is nevertheless a badly broken country. Everywhere it is dotted with woods and copses, every one of which the enemy had turned into a fortress. A study of the contours will show, moreover, that along the whole front the enemy had the advantage of the higher ground. It is not to be inferred from the fact that the second system of defence about Bazentin and Longueval, in which our troops are now engaged, is not charted with the same detail as the first that this second system is, therefore, less elaborate. Clearly it is not permissible, until ground is fully secured, to acquaint the enemy with the extent of our information about their defensive arrangements. Yesterday Sir Douglas Haig reported further important successes in the Germans' second system of defence. On the right the gap in the enemy's position has been widened by the capture of the strongly defended Waterlot Farm. In the centre, north-west of Bazentin Wood, the second line position has been stormed on a front of nearly a mile. On the left the enemy's remaining strongholds in Ovillers have fallen, and the village is now wholly in our hands.

The latest progress gives us some clue to the probable development of the situation. On the right our action is clearly aimed at an advance of our lines which will enable us to co-operate effectually with the renewal of General Foch's movement opposite Péronne. Along the rest of the front of attack, however, the action is discovering a tendency to move westwards. It must be remembered that the stretch on which we have so far established ourselves in the enemy's second system is relatively narrow—some four miles. Along the rest of the front on which the offensive opened on July 1st we are still, north of Ovillers, no further forward than the German first system, and further north again, at Thiepval and across the Ancre, we remain before the enemy's first system of defence. The position and direction of the latest attacks suggest that Sir Douglas Haig hopes to manœuvre the Germans out of their positions along the Ancre by outflanking them to the east. The enemy, on the other hand, no doubt hope, by holding on to these positions on the flank of the present advance, to compel us to renewed frontal assaults upon them. So far the prospect that our hopes will be realised, and the enemy's defeated, is good; for we have nearly reached the Bois des Foureaux north of Bazentin, which is the highest point in all this country, and commands the enemy's position beyond it to the north-west. We are naturally inclined to look eagerly forward to the moment when the German front will give and a war of movement will be restored. At this stage, however, the capture of ground is less important than the total of German losses. Upon these Sir Douglas Haig threw some light in his report of yesterday—not before the light was needed, for the severity of our own casualty lists might otherwise suggest that our sacrifices were excessive. The captured documents which he incorporates in his report assure us that, heavy as our own losses have been, the enemy's are far heavier. Sir Douglas Haig is not likely to cite exceptional cases; and that of the Bavarian battalion which, on being placed under orders as sector reserve, reported its total strength as five officers and non-commissioned officers and nineteen men tells its own story.

The same process of exhaustion operates remorselessly on the Russian front. In the east the war is already much more a war of movement than in the west, and we are apt to measure the Russians' successes by their territorial gains when we ought rather to measure them by the drain they impose upon the enemy's reserves. For example, yesterday's Berlin report informs us that on the southern face of the Lutsk salient, where General von Linsingen has been delivering heavy attacks against the Russians, he has now withdrawn his forces behind the River Lipa, close to the Galician frontier. The Russians have thus made a considerable territorial advance; but the enemy would be the gainers if it were true that they had executed this operation merely "in order to strengthen their defence line," and "without being molested by the Russians." The Petrograd report, however, tells a different story. General von Linsingen did not retire across the Lipa voluntarily; he was thrown across it with extreme violence by a Russian attack. He was "molested" by the Russians in the process to the extent that he left in their hands thirteen thousand prisoners and thirty guns. That loss, and the greater loss in killed and wounded which it implies, is the proper measure of this episode, not the mere territorial gain by the Russians. In both theatres the enemy's reluctance, for political reasons, to evacuate occupied territory, when purely strategic motives would urge a withdrawal, is operating increasingly to the Allies' advantage. The more tenacious the enemy's resistance in their present lines, the more disastrous will be their retreat when numerical exhaustion ultimately compels them to it. The Grand Duke Nicholas has renewed his offensive in Armenia. The capture of Baiburt, which has long been an obstacle to the development of this campaign, opens up a prospect of movements which may extend as far south as the Tigris valley. Mr. Asquith is to tell us to-day in what case our Army in Mesopotamia stands to take advantage of the Grand Duke's success.

Russia.

We have been told that the people in certain remote parts of China have not yet heard of their last war with Japan. It is probable that, one hundred years ago, many people in outlying parts of European Russia were still ignorant of the French invasion and the burning of Moscow. No Russian is unaware to-day that his country is at war with Germany, and the difference is not merely due to a century's improvements in the means of communication. The Russo-French war was a war of Emperors; the present war is a war of nations. The Russian people is fighting not only for liberty and ideals, but for that foremost place in the world which it has been slow to seek, and will be slow to lose. To-day the meanest Russian is thrilled with a new sense of power and destiny. This war has proved to be, spiritually and intellectually, a greater emancipation for Russia than the edict which turned many millions of serfs into free men. On Sunday last the Empire celebrated the feast of Saint George, patron saint of the Russian Armies. The ceremonies were chiefly religious, for to Russia patriotism and religion are still a single emotion, as they were to the English and French warriors of the Crusades. After the great *Te Deum* in the Senate Square at Petrograd the Tsar's Ministers, the Knights of Saint George, and the Ambassadors of the Allies witnessed the inauguration of a floating exhibition of Russian war trophies on the Neva. The trophies have been housed in a huge barge painted yellow and black, the colours of Saint George. When Petrograd has sated its pride in this display the barge will make a stately progress on the Volga, stopping at towns and villages on both banks of the whole length of the river. If the people of Great Britain and Ireland do not yet appreciate the strength and vastness of their Russian Ally, they will be helped to appreciation by a thought of the journey which lies before this barge of Saint George. Our own Shannon—the "lordly Shannon," as Thomas Davis called it—has a length of 240 miles. The Volga, from its source in north-west Russia to the end of its journey at the Caspian, covers a distance of 2,325 miles. Dozens of its tributaries are themselves mighty rivers: two of them are longer than the German Rhine. The Volga drains an area of more than half a million square miles. It will be possible for nearly forty millions of people to visit the water-borne war trophies. History can have no precedent for this tremendous appeal to a nation's pride and patriotism: the Persian review from Salamis was a smaller thing. The issue, too, of this demonstration will be different, for it is inspired, not by lust of power or conquest, but by faith and joy in a most righteous cause. Russia's past misfortunes, and the evil government which delayed her progress, were largely the result of German influence. To-day she has entered into the comity of free nations, and has come into close partnership with the two most enlightened Powers of Europe. Her place in the Grand Alliance is at once a guarantee of victory in the present war, and a sure promise of the coming of a fresh, spiritual, and untrammelled influence into the shaping of the world's thought and progress. To talk of our capture of German trade as the chief material result of this war is to take a very narrow view of our responsibilities and opportunities. We must try, of course, to capture German trade after the war, but we shall find a grander and more fruitful field of effort in the development of our political, social, and economic relations with Russia. The creation of an intelligent public opinion about Russia is now one of the first duties of our schools and Universities.

Street Names.

Names fall in and out of favour—sometimes rather mysteriously. "The Marquis of Granby" was once *facile princeps* as a title for the country inns of England. There is no mystery, however, about the anxiety of the people of Stoke Newington to change the name of one of their local roads. "Wiesbaden road" was good enough before the war, but to-day even the most famous German health resorts have lost their charm. Stoke Newington wants to change "Wiesbaden road" to "Beatty road," but the London County Council raises a difficulty. It is the outcome not of any disrespect of our gallant fellow-countryman, but of a truly elevated regard for him. The road is, apparently, a humble one, and the County Council thinks that the great name of Beatty should be "assigned to a more important thoroughfare." It recommends "Belgrade road" as a substitute for "Wiesbaden road"—which, in the circumstances, our Serbian Ally may, or may not, regard as a compliment. We do not doubt that, in the near future, plenty of important thoroughfares will compete for the name of Jellicoe, Beatty, Kitchener, French, and Haig. It is proper and laudable in our municipal bodies to desire such high associations for their streets and roads. The instinct survives from ancient times, and it adds interest to every educated man's walk through his own or any other city. A stroll north or south from Dublin Castle carries one through the expanding stages of the city's history. As one travels outwards "Camden" and "Essex" are succeeded by names more and more recent until, in the suburbs, one finds oneself in the company of the Viceroys and great commanders of the last generation. A sedate district in the Pembroke area is dated by its "Raglan" and "Elgin" roads. Certain houses in Rathmines road—which boasts a peculiarly luxuriant nomenclature—advertise their birth in the days of the Crimean War. The practice as applied to roads and houses is quite commendable, but its results are sometimes embarrassing in the case of boys and girls. A time may come in the life of the least vain among women when she will wish that her parents had not branded the date 1915 on her brow by calling her Beattyana.

IRISH UNIONIST ALLIANCE.

THE DEATH OF MR. CARDEN.

A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Unionist Alliance was held at 109 Grafton street, Dublin, on the 15th inst., Mr. G. F. Stewart, D.L., in the chair. Other members present:—

Lord Cloncurry, Lord Lansdowne, Lord Monck, Lord Ashbourne, M.P., Sir John Arnott, Bart., D.L.; Sir Thomas Corbally, Bart., D.L.; Sir Maliby Crofton, Bart., D.L.; Sir Maurice Dockrell, Bart., D.L.; E. Battersby, K.C.; Mr. D. R. Tuck-Beresford, D.L.; Mr. R. Bruce, D.L.; Mr. H. D. Conner, K.C.; Mr. R. H. A. M'Comas, J.P.; Colonel Comyn, Mr. H. Franks, J.P.; Colonel Guinness, Mr. Wm. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. S. M. Kyle, K.C.; Mr. W. B. Powell, K.C.; Mr. A. W. Samuels, K.C.; Mr. W. Sandall, Mr. R. Smylie, Rev. Canon Tristram, D.D.

Apologies for non-attendance were received from—

Earl of Arran, K.P.; Lord Oranmore, Earl of Wicklow, Sir Henry Blake, G.C.M.G.; Sir Wm. Barton, Bart., D.L.; Mr. E. Bellingham, D.L.; E. J. Beaumont-Nesbitt, D.L.; Mr. Bernard, Mr. H. Burdett, J.P.; Mr. T. Farrington, Col. Saunders-Knox-Gore, D.L.; Mr. James Inglis, J.P.; Mr. A. D. Kennedy, Mr. R. E. Longfield, D.L.; Mr. J. Shannon, J.P., D.L.; Mr. M. M'Cann, J.P.; Mr. J. Mooney, C.V.O.; Colonel R. J. Pilkington, J.P.; Mr. Edward Sclater, J.P.; Colonel Tottenham, D.L.; Mr. E. Vandeleur, D.L.; Mr. Hume Vernon, D.L.; Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp, Mr. J. Barnaby Walker, D.L.; Mr. Dudley Westropp.

Matters of great importance were discussed.

The following resolution was adopted:—

That we, the members of the Executive Committee of the Irish Unionist Alliance, desire to express our deep regret at the death of our friend and colleague, Dill Secretary, Mr. Richard G. Carden, D.L., and to convey our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Carden and her children in their bereavement.

FETE OF ST. GEORGE IN RUSSIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PETROGRAD, SUNDAY.

The fête of St. George, the patron saint of the Russian Armies, was celebrated here to-day. In the morning in all the Cathedrals and churches of the capital special Services were held, including prayers for the victory of Russia and the Allies, and also for all those who had fallen on the field of battle. At 2 p.m. in Senate square the Metropolitan officiated at a *Te Deum*, which was gaily decorated with the flags of the Allied nations and flanked by cordons of troops. All Knights of the Order of St. George, officers, and members of the Diplomatic Corps were also present at the ceremony. Afterwards took place the inauguration of a floating exhibition of Russian war trophies on the Neva. The exhibition consists of an enormous barge painted yellow and black, the colours of St. George. There is a large variety of exhibits, from explosive bullets to huge heavy guns. After the formal inauguration the exhibition was thrown open to the public. It will later be sent up the Volga, stopping at towns and villages on both banks of the whole length of the river. There were general public rejoicings to-day, lasting on into the night. Free patriotic performances were given in various parts of the city. Huge crowds, in holiday attire, loudly cheering the Knights of St. George, especially those of them who were wounded, wherever they went.

THE NEW INSPECTOR-GENERAL R.I.C.

Brigadier-General Byrne, the new Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary, is the second son of the late Doctor Byrne, D.L., of Londonderry, who was so well known in the North of Ireland. His eldest brother, Colonel Byrne, late Connaught Rangers, is at the War Office, and two younger brothers are at the front—one in Mesopotamia, with the Dorset Regiment, and one in France, with the Royal Engineers.

THE D.S.C.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas F. Lanktree, who has recently been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, for zeal and gallantry, is a son of Mr. Barnaby Lanktree, J.P., "Gweedore," Blackrock, Cork.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

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MONDAY NIGHT.

Question time in the House of Commons to-day was less exciting than it seemed likely to be. Mr. Gimmell, who was expected to enter a protest against his arrest by the military authorities, did not put in an appearance, and in his absence the proceedings were rather humdrum. Apart from the Irish questions, of which there were a great many, most of the interest centred in the statement about Mesopotamia which the Prime Minister has promised to make to-morrow. Sir Edward Carson asked if there would be an opportunity of discussing it, and the Prime Minister replied that it would be more convenient if the debate were postponed for a day or two—perhaps, until Thursday. In answer to another question, Mr. Chamberlain assured the House that everything possible was now being done to improve the medical conditions of the Mesopotamian expedition.

The Prime Minister said "Yes" to Mr. Malcolm's modest inquiry as to whether the Amending Bill for Ireland could be introduced before the autumn recess, but made no reply to Mr. O'Brien, who asked why he did not drop "the hateful project," which only found favour with placehunters. Other members who sought information regarding the contents of the Bill were requested to wait for its introduction, which Mr. Asquith hoped would be very soon. Some further information about Mr. Lloyd George's proposals was elicited. They had not been submitted to the approval of the Army Council, over which the right hon. gentleman now presides, or to any member of the Irish Republican Party. They were, it seems, "ultimately" committed to writing, but not apparently until after their acceptance by the Ulster and Nationalist leaders. "Why not publish them and put an end to the ambiguity?" asked Mr. O'Brien. "They will be published," replied Mr. Asquith.

Mr. Devlin was told that an Imperial Conference would be held at the close of the war, and would consider, *inter alia*, the permanent settlement of the Irish question. Sir Edward Carson promptly asked if the Conference would be a voluntary one, and if no one would be coerced into any particular decision. Mr. Asquith nodded assent. In reply to a series of questions by Mr. Dillon, the Prime Minister stated that he was satisfied of the immartiality of the inquiries held by the military authorities into the North King street and similar cases, and did not propose to institute any further investigation. Mr. Samuel explained the circumstances in which three officials in the Land Commission were taken prisoners and subsequently released by the military authorities, but intimated that he had asked the Land Commission for further information regarding their reinstatement.

Mr. McKenna moved that the remaining stages of the Finance Bill should be taken to-day, chiefly on the ground that his present borrowing powers were nearly exhausted. The war is now costing six millions a day instead of the estimated five. The motion was strongly opposed by Sir F. Banbury, Sir E. Carson, and Sir H. Dalziel on the ground that the Government should have exercised more foresight instead of asking members to forego their rights. On a division, however, it was carried by 147 to 29. After the tussle as to the rights and wrongs of taking both Report and third reading of the Budget at one sitting, the opponents of the principle of concentrated effort showed their inconsistency—that nobody really blamed them for it—by running away from the debate altogether, and, instead of the two stages taking a couple of days, they occupied exactly a couple of half-hours. The House then went into Committee, and set to work in an excellent frame of mind on a dozen or more of pages of amendments on the Defence of the Realm Acquisition of Land Bill.

The Prime Minister's promise with regard to the Home Rule Bill does not seem to help us much further. I reported in the middle of last week that the Bill is in draft, but the draft is of the roughest possible character—a skeleton, in fact, which the Cabinet have yet to clothe in flesh and blood. In any case, nobody need look for an attempt to move the second reading until after the autumn recess—that is to say, until some time in the month of October. There are rumours that some part of the recess may be devoted by Ministers to persuading public opinion in favour of the settlement, and it was reported in the Lobby this evening that Mr. Bonar Law is proposing to confer on the subject with the chairmen of Unionist organisations in various parts of the country.

As I anticipated, the Imperial Committee has changed its name to the Imperial Unionist Association, thus conforming, I am told, to the large amount of sympathy it meets with in both Houses of Parliament and in the country. The meeting held this evening was largely attended, and it was announced in the course of the meeting that seventy-six members of the House of Lords and ninety-eight members of the House of Commons had already joined the Association, and that further names are coming in daily.

The resolutions were moved by Sir Robert Finlay, and seconded by the Duke of Norfolk. Meanwhile a gloomy view is growing in the Lobby over the prospects of the settlement. The Nationalist leaders are showing considerable anxiety over the situation. Sir Edward Carson and his friends abate no jot of their willingness to see the settlement through—of course, on the lines to which they have already expressed their adherence. Sir Edward declined to express any opinion on the controversy which has arisen over Lord Lansdowne's statement last Tuesday.

The hearing of the Casement appeal took place to-day in the new buildings of the Law Courts specially given over to criminal appeals. Mr. Justice Darling, as the senior Justice, presided over the Bench. The court was crowded, a number of ladies occupying seats in the jury box. Casement seemed to have quite lost the confident bearing he assumed in the Lord Chief Justice's Court, being pale and haggard. His hair was longer, and his face seemed more wrinkled and drawn. He was smartly attired in grey tweeds.

As soon as Canon Lyttelton's resignation of the Headmastership of Eton was announced the *connoscenti* confidently predicted that his successor would be the Rev. C. A. Alington. Mr. Alington was an Assistant Master at Eton before he went, eight years ago, to Shrewsbury, where he has been very successful as Head. Oddly enough, he is a brother-in-law of the man he is now succeeding, having married twelve years ago the youngest daughter of the late Lord Lyttelton by his second marriage.

"Repeatedly expressing his thanks and es

THE IRISH CRISIS.

UNIONISTS AND SUPPRESSION OF TREASON.

THE AMENDING BILL.

The Imperial Unionist Association, consisting of members of both House of Parliament, has been formed to watch negotiations as to the Irish question between the Government and the Nationalist Party. At a meeting held last evening it was announced that seventy-six members of the House of Lords and ninety-eight members of the House of Commons had already joined, and that further names were coming in daily.

The following resolutions were moved by Sir Robert Finlay, seconded by the Duke of Norfolk, and agreed to unanimously:—

"That this Association welcomes the assurances of Lord Lansdowne that it is the intention of the Government to take all the necessary steps to repress treason and sedition in Ireland and to uphold the supremacy of the law, and trust that adequate measures to this effect may be taken without delay."

"That this Association views with apprehension the establishment at the present time, following the rebellion and during the war, of an Irish Parliament and Executive as involving a serious danger to the peace of Ireland and the Imperial interest."

An Executive Committee was appointed, consisting of Lord Salisbury (Chairman), the Duke of Norfolk, Lords Halsbury, Cromer, Beaconsfield, Midleton, Balfour of Burleigh, Beresford, Sydenham, and St. Audries; Sir Robert Finlay, Sir Frederick Banbury, Lord Hugh Cecil, Lord Claud Hamilton, Mr. H. Nield, Mr. E. M. Pollock, Mr. J. P. Rawlinson, Mr. Bigland, Mr. Peto, Mr. Hewins, Sir Charles Hunter, Mr. Joynson-Hicks, and General Hickman, Secretaries—The Earl of Kenmare, Viscount Peel, Messrs. Ian Malcolm, Rupert Gwynne, and Walter Guinness.

MR. REDMOND TO QUESTION THE PREMIER.

Mr. Redmond gave notice last evening to ask the Prime Minister if he can now state upon what day the Irish Government Bill will be introduced.

It is understood, says the Press Association, that the Nationalists are opposed to any further private conversations with regard to the provisions of the bill. The document embodying the settlement arrived at in the negotiations with the Irish parties is in existence, and it is claim that the bill should be limited to the modifications in the Home Rule Act necessary to carry the terms of that agreement into effect.

FERMANAGH GRAND JURORS AND MARTIAL LAW.

The following resolution was unanimously passed yesterday by the Grand Jury of the County Fermanagh at Enniskillen:—

"That we, the Grand Jury of the County Fermanagh, at the Summer Assizes assembled, desire to assure His Majesty's Government, that we consider martial law essential to the well-being and safety of the country during the present crisis."

QUEEN'S COUNTY NATIONALISTS

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MARYBOROUGH, MONDAY.

At a meeting of the Leix Divisional Executive of the United Irish League, held in the Town Hall, Maryborough, yesterday, Rev. J. J. Keane, C.C., presiding,

Mr. P. J. Meehan, M.P., said the exclusion of the six Ulster counties was only to be permanent for the life of the present Parliament, and there was only for the war and twelve months afterwards, and if they would be necessary to introduce during the war it would be necessary to introduce another bill. So far as the present bill was concerned, it meant only a temporary exclusion, and any other form of exclusion in this or any other bill would not be acceptable to him or any other party. The only objection the Irish leaders or the Irish party had to the Amending Bill was that it was a very minor one, and was probably conceded to satisfy the "die-hards," and that was that the Irish Court of Appeal would be nominated by the Government. But it did not matter who they were nominated by, because they were all the same when they got on the Bench, and very few cases in Ireland went to the Court of Appeal. Mr. P. Brennan, Co.C., Clontion, said if these proposals were permanent or not they were a great danger of them being made permanent it was their bounden duty to reject them. It was a matter that was not at present properly understood. There was a danger in accepting the Amending Bill, and it might strengthen the arguments for the permanent exclusion of Ulster.

Mr. Wey—Why wasn't a National Convention summoned?

Mr. Meehan—There is no hill.

Mr. Meehan then submitted the following resolution, which was proposed by Mr. Brennan, Co.C., and seconded by Mr. A. Hume, Co.C.:—

That we appreciate the great sacrifice which the Nationalists of Ulster made at the recent Belfast Conference for agreeing to remain temporarily outside the scope of the Home Rule Act, so as to have the proposed settlement become law, and we declare that any settlement which excludes the six Ulster counties permanently from the operation of that Act will be unpatriotic and be rejected by the Nationalists of Ireland. That we renew our confidence in Mr. John Redmond and the Irish party, and pray that Mr. Redmond may direct their counsels in the present most serious situation with which the country is faced.

The Chairman said if they passed this resolution it would be a kind of approval of the dismemberment of the country.

Mr. Meehan—It is not.

The Chairman said whilst it was a fact the Belfast Conference had approved of the proposals there was a very substantial minority against them, and he also believed there was majority of the country set against them, (Hear, hear). He thought Mr. Lloyd George's suggestions had given rise to universal dissatisfaction. He did not go in for prophesying, but he believed that within the next fortnight there would be little more heard of these proposals.

Mr. Brennan then withdrew the resolution, but the last part of it, expressing confidence in the Irish party, was agreed to.

TYRONE ROMAN CATHOLIC PROTEST.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DUNGANNON, MONDAY.

A large and representative meeting of the Roman Catholic electors of Dungannon and district was held in St. Patrick's Hall, Dungannon, on Sunday evening, when Monsignor P. J. Byrne, P.P., occupied the chair. The following resolution was proposed by Mr. John Doris, J.P., County Councillor:—

That the Catholic parishioners of Dungannon and district hereby place on record our most emphatic protest against the exclusion of any part of Ireland from self-government, and in particular against the exclusion of our county of Tyrone, the majority of whose inhabitants are Catholics.

The motion was seconded by Professor Richard Burke, supported by the rev. Chairman, Rev. Peter M'Shane, U.D.C.; Daniel Donnelly, and George Hurson, and adopted, with two dissentients.

BRITISH ARTILLERY SUPERIORITY.

LETTER FROM CAPTAIN W. A. REDMOND.

Captain W. Archer Redmond, M.P., in a letter from France, dated last Friday, writes:—"I am still in the best of health and spirits. It is a terrific strain, and the longer you are out here the more you feel the awfulness and gravity of the whole business. However, I would not have been out of it for worlds. There is no doubt we have great superiority in artillery at last. We had seven full days of incessant bombardment of all kinds of guns, howitzers, etc. You have no conception of the row over your heads to the "Alleymen," going all the time. We are playing his game now, and attack him by all and every means. Men were, and are, in wonderful spirits.

QUESTION OF RENT CHARGES.

In the House of Lords yesterday Lords Parker, Sumner, and Wrenbury heard the appeal Twigg and another v. Mason and others, which raised questions concerning two rent charges of £200, late Irish currency, created and charged on certain freehold hereditaments in County Cork. The action was brought by Mr. Marcus F. Twigg, in the capacity of trustee of two deeds, dated March 30, 1815, by which Thomas Rochfort, being seized and in possession of the real estate in County Cork, granted to John Cuthbert and his heirs two annual rent charges of £200, to be held the same unto John Cuthbert and his heirs, to use, and upon the trusts, and under expressed limitations. The present action was dismissed by Mr. Justice Barton on the grounds that, as no difference was alleged to exist in the terms of the deeds creating the two rent charges, he was bound by the judgment of the Court of Appeal in the previous case, and from the order of the Court of Appeal affirming this judgment an appeal was brought to the House of Lords. It was contended for the appellants that the two rent charges were created *de novo* by the indentures of March, 1815, and that they never had any existence beyond the lives of the issue of the children of Francis Kearney. The contention of the respondent was that the rent charges were perpetual rent charges, and that the appeal was incompetent, being a joint appeal by Marcus F. Twigg, purporting to sue as trustee, and Mathew H. Franks, parties having directly hostile interests, and being brought in an interest wholly adverse to the trust. The case was adjourned.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE IRISH OUTLOOK.

The Irish situation drifts from bad to worse, declares *The Times*, in the absence of a plain statement of policy representing the united views of the Cabinet, and submitted to the scrutiny of Parliament and public opinion. Rival schools of thought blame Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Redmond in turn for a barren and bewildering controversy. But is either of them really responsible for the stagnation into which Lansdowne, one cannot doubt, is faithfully translating into terms what he believes to be the intention of the Cabinet. We think, for our own part, that he would do better to imitate the reticence of Sir Edward Carson, who is plainly doing his utmost to make things easy for Mr. Redmond; but the fault, if there be a fault, is one of method and not of substance. Mr. Redmond is also appealing—quite honestly we are sure—to the intention of the Cabinet, as he understands it, and the violence of his language is easily explained by the undoubted difficulty of his task in Ireland. The real responsibility for putting an end to this confusion and delay rests, as it seems to us, with one man, and one man only, and that is the Prime Minister as head of the Government. He can remove the misunderstanding, so far, has been inveterate habit of allowing things to drift. Is it too much to ask our leaders that they should perform the elementary duties of leadership?

THE AMENDING BILL.

In a "Political Note," *The Times* says that one of the subjects which will come before the Cabinet to-morrow is the draft of the Irish Amending Bill. If the draft bill should not meet with general acceptance, the matter would be referred to a Committee of the Cabinet, which, in accordance with Ministerial practice, would, in accordance with Ministerial practice, be referred to a Committee of the Cabinet, and Mr. Redmond in turn for a barren and bewildering controversy. But is either of them really responsible for the stagnation into which Lansdowne, one cannot doubt, is faithfully translating into terms what he believes to be the intention of the Cabinet. We think, for our own part, that he would do better to imitate the reticence of Sir Edward Carson, who is plainly doing his utmost to make things easy for Mr. Redmond; but the fault, if there be a fault, is one of method and not of substance. Mr. Redmond is also appealing—quite honestly we are sure—to the intention of the Cabinet, as he understands it, and the violence of his language is easily explained by the undoubted difficulty of his task in Ireland. The real responsibility for putting an end to this confusion and delay rests, as it seems to us, with one man, and one man only, and that is the Prime Minister as head of the Government. He can remove the misunderstanding, so far, has been inveterate habit of allowing things to drift. Is it too much to ask our leaders that they should perform the elementary duties of leadership?

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

The Stock Exchange remained under the adverse influence of the higher Bank rate, says *The Times*, and as buyers of investment stocks were still holding off, and stock continued to come to the market in fair amounts, the trend of prices was in the adverse direction. Consols fell 1, and the War Loan ½. In other directions Brazilian Securities were firm by ½ to one. The number of bargains recorded was 2,680, as compared with 3,100 on Monday in last week.

THE PROPOSED IRISH SETTLEMENT.

PRIME MINISTER AND THE PROPOSALS.

Mr. MALCOLM asked the Prime Minister whether it is the intention of the Government to introduce the Amending Bill for the Better Government of Ireland before the adjournment for the Autumn recess.

Mr. ASQUITH—Yes, sir.

Mr. WILLIAM O'BRIEN—If you want to earn the thanks of every human being in Ireland, why not drop this hateful project altogether?

No reply was given.

Major NEWMAN asked the Prime Minister whether the proposed bill to enable the Government of Ireland Act, subject to certain modifications to be brought into immediate operation will be, in all its provisions and details, temporary and provisional; also, whether any proposal for the permanent exclusion of any part of Ireland from the operation of the Act, or from the formation of the Irish House of Commons from the Irish members of the Imperial House of Commons, would continue to sit and vote in full numbers in the Imperial House, and would be of a strictly temporary and provisional character, and both on the same footing.

Mr. ASQUITH said—I must ask my hon. friends to await the introduction of the bill.

Major NEWMAN—Is it a fact that these proposals were to be submitted to the people of Ireland in cut and dried form, and has that been done?

Major HUNT—Are the Government going to break a promise made to the men who are now fighting for us?

Mr. ASQUITH—That will be dealt with.

Mr. MALCOLM—When will the bill be introduced?

Mr. ASQUITH—I hope very soon.

Mr. ASQUITH informed Mr. Grant that the Government did not consult the Army Council concerning the War Secretary's proposals with regard to Ireland.

Major NEWMAN asked the Prime Minister whether he can now inform the House of the exact proposals for the immediate bringing into operation of the Government of Ireland Act which were made to and accepted by the leaders of the Ulster and Nationalist parties and subsequently submitted to the Southern Unionist and Independent Nationalist parties; whether the proposals were also submitted to any leader or member of the Republican party; and, if so, with what results.

Mr. ASQUITH—With regard to the first part of the question, I have already stated these proposals in outline, and the details will be made clear when the bill is introduced. The answer to the second part is in the negative, and the last part, therefore, does not arise.

Major NEWMAN—Is it not a fact that these were reduced to writing?

Mr. ASQUITH—Ultimately they were.

Mr. WILLIAM O'BRIEN—Has it been said by one of the parties that the terms have been reduced to writing, and, if so, why not publish them, and put an end to the ambiguity?

Mr. ASQUITH—They will be published.

In reply to a further question in regard to safeguards for Unionists,

Mr. ASQUITH asked the House to await the introduction of the bill, which he hoped would be very soon.

Mr. DEVLIN asked if an Imperial Conference is to be held at the close of the war, and whether, among the subjects to be considered by it, will be the permanent settlement of the Irish question.

Mr. ASQUITH—Yes, sir, this I understand to have been a matter in regard to which both parties to the arrangement made in Ireland were in agreement.

Sir EDWARD CARSON—Do I understand that the Conference will be a voluntary one, and that no one will be coerced into any particular decision?

Mr. ASQUITH assented.

Mr. WILLIAM O'BRIEN—If this matter is to be gone into at an Imperial Conference, why decide beforehand the principal question in dispute?

Mr. ASQUITH—We are dealing with a question which is urgent, and to be dealt with immediately.

THE LATE REBELLION.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Asquith informed Mr. Dillon that he was in communication with Mrs. Sheffington in regard to the inquiry into the murder of Mr. Sheehy Skeffington.

Answering Mr. Dillon, Mr. Asquith said that courts of inquiry had been held in connection with the cases of shooting in North King street, Dublin, and the conclusion arrived at was that the shooting of the persons concerned took place in the course of continuous and desperate street and house-to-house fighting, which lasted for nearly two days, in which the soldiers were constantly exposed to sniping from the windows and roofs of the houses. It was impossible to bring home responsibility to any particular person or body of persons. Further inquiry would not be likely to lead to any different result. He would consider the question of making public the evidence and proceedings of the tribunal of inquiry.

Mr. Samuel informed Major Walter Guinness that Patrick Sheehan was not taken prisoner while fighting in the rebellion, but was arrested by the military in his own house on 3rd May. Patrick J. Kelly was arrested in Jacob's factory, but denied that he was fighting there. He had been forced into the building, he said, by a man with a revolver. So far as the police knew, the man Rooney was not connected with Sinn Fein. These men were all released by the military and were reinstated by the Land Commission. He had suggested that their cases should come under review with those of others suspected of complicity in the rebellion.

Mr. Asquith informed Lord Hugh Cecil that he would consult his colleagues with regard to an opportunity for discussing the Hardinge Commission report.

The Governing Body of Eton College, at a meeting yesterday, appointed Mr. F. H. Rawlins, who has been Lower Master since 1905, to the office of Vice-Provost, vacant through the resignation of Mr. F. Warre Cornish.

RUSSIANS IN VOLHYNIA.

FURTHER SPLENDID SUCCESSES.

CAPTURE OF 13,000 PRISONERS.

GERMANS ADMIT REVERSE.

Our Russian Allies are again active. Some notable successes have been achieved in Volhynia, where 13,000 prisoners have been taken.

The German official report admits that General Linsingen's troops have withdrawn behind the Lipa.

Yesterday afternoon's Petrograd communiqué:—

Western Front—In Volhynia region, east and south-east of the town of Sviatjuchi, the brave troops of General Scharoff broke the resistance of the enemy in the course of engagements in the region of the village of Povstromyty. We made prisoners more than 1,000 Germans and Austrians, and captured three light and two heavy guns, some machine guns, and a large quantity of other booty. In this fighting the gallant General Vladimir Dragomiroff was wounded in the leg by shrapnel.

In the region of the Lower Lipa our advance continues with success. The enemy here is offering desperate resistance.

In the course of the fighting in this region our troops made prisoners 226 officers and 5,872 men, and captured 24 guns, including twelve heavy guns and fourteen machine guns, some thousands of rifles, and other war material. In addition we took here a further number of prisoners —namely, 51 officers and 2,164 men.

The total prisoners and booty captured in yesterday's fighting in Volhynia amount to about 317 officers and 12,637 men, 30 guns, of which 17 were of heavy calibre, and 9-inch, a large number of 4-inch machine guns, and an abundance of other material.

In the direction of Kirhbara, on the frontier of Transylvania, our troops have occupied a series of fresh heights.

In the Riga region encounters on one side and another are turning to our advantage. We carried elements of enemy trenches and captured prisoners.

On the Caucasus front the offensive of the elements of the right wing of the army of the Caucasus is developing. The Turkish Cossacks belonging to the column of Gornostaieff yesterday achieved an important success.

The Turks, retreating in all haste from Babart, set fire to the town.

GERMANS REPORT A WITHDRAWAL.

Yesterday's Berlin *communiqué*:—

Army Group of Marshal von Hindenburg—There has been increased fire west and south of Riga, and on the Dwina front preceded South of Riga, and on the Dwina front preceded south sian offensive movements. Near Katarinenhof, south of Riga, considerable enemy forces attacked, and lively fighting has developed here.

Army Group of Prince Leopold of Bavaria—No important events.

Army Group of General von Linsingen—South-west of Lutsk the Russian attack was arrested by a German counter-attack. Thereupon, in order to strengthen our defence line our troops were withdrawn behind the Lipa, without being molested by the enemy. All other places the Russians are completely repulsed.

Army of General von Bothmer—The situation is unchanged.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

Yesterday afternoon's Paris *communique*:—

Between the Oise and the Aisne a strong enemy reconnaissance was dispersed by our fire.

In Champagne a surprise attack directed by the Germans on a trench in the Russian sector was repulsed by our counter-attack, which cost the enemy some losses.

On the Verdun front the night was calm except at Hill 304, where the rifle fire was lively.

To the west of Fleury sections of our troops made some progress, and took three machine guns.

In Lorraine, after a somewhat extensive bombardment, the enemy made two attacks on our position in the region of Hom, south-east of Nomeny.

Both these attacks were repulsed, and some prisoners fell into our hands.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

Yesterday's Berlin *communique*:—

Western Front—Between the sea and the Ancre the English—Between the sea and the Ancre the English—increased their fire at several places to great violence.

In the region of the Somme the artillery activity on both sides continued to be very considerable. Several partial attacks occurred, in which the English further penetrated into Ovillers, and which, south of Biaches, led to vigorous fighting; which, however, either collapsed in the first curtain fire or, from the start, did not fully develop. The number of prisoners made in the fight for Biaches has increased to four officers and 266 men.

The heavy French attacks which began on July 15th, east of the Somme, continued until this morning. The enemy has achieved no results from this bloody fighting, but has lost ground at some points.

On the remainder of the front there were no events of special significance.

A French attack in connection with a mine north of Ouleches was repulsed. We made successful mine explosions on the Combres heights. A German patrol brought in some prisoners.

Near Lanfroniscourt, in Lorraine, on July the 15th, two further French aeroplanes were put out of action besides those announced yesterday, one in an air battle behind the enemy line south of the Somme, the other by being shot down on the ground near Frosilncourt (Oise), on our front.

FURTHER GOOD PROGRESS BY BRITISH.

GERMAN SECOND LINE BREACHED AT SEVERAL POINTS.

HEAVY ENEMY LOSSES IN MEN AND ARTILLERY.

STRIKING EVIDENCE IN CAPTURED DOCUMENTS.

There is further good news from the British front to-day. Sir Douglas Haig announces that our troops have stormed and captured the German second line positions north-west of Bazentin-le-Petit Wood on a front of 1,500 yards.

In the Longueval region the strongly fortified positions at Waterlot Farm have been captured, thus making further gaps in the German second line. Another stronghold in the Ovillers-La Boisselle region has also been taken.

Sir Douglas Haig's night despatch reports that heavy rain has prevented further operations. He mentions that the German losses in artillery have been heavy, judging by the number of guns of various calibres which have been taken.

The enemy losses in men during the recent operations are strikingly illustrated by the documents captured by our troops. Some of these are included in the Commander-in-Chief's afternoon despatch.

A reference to the map which we publish to-day will show the substantial nature of the advance made by our troops during the present offensive.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, MONDAY, 2.15 P.M.

Further important successes have been gained by our troops.

North-west of Bazentin-le-Petit Wood we stormed and captured the German second line positions on a front of 1,500 yards. The large number of German dead in this sector bears evidence to the very heavy casualties which the enemy has suffered since our advance began.

East of Longueval we still further widened the gap in the German second line by capturing the strongly defended position of Waterlot Farm.

On our left flank, in Ovillers-La Boisselle, where there has been continuous hand-to-hand fighting since 7th July, we captured the remaining strongholds of the enemy, together with two officers and 124 Guardsmen, who formed the remnants of its brave garrison.

The whole village is now in our hands.

The following captured documents are of interest, as showing the very heavy casualties which the enemy has suffered in the recent fighting:—

FROM A COMPANY OF THE 16th BAVARIAN INFANTRY REGIMENT

TO THE 3rd BATTALION 16th BAVARIAN INFANTRY.

"Severe enemy artillery fire of all calibres up to 28cm. on company sector (company strength one officer, twelve men). Beg urgently speedy relief for the company. What remains of the company is so exhausted that, in case of an attack by the enemy, the few totally exhausted men cannot be counted on."

FROM ANOTHER COMPANY OF THE SAME REGIMENT TO THE 3rd BATTALION 16th BAVARIAN INFANTRY REGIMENT.

"Very heavy intense enemy fire on company sector. The company has completely lost its fighting value. The men left are so exhausted that they can no longer be employed in fighting. If heavy artillery fire continues the company will soon be entirely exterminated. Relief for the company is urgently required."

FROM THE 2nd BATTALION TO THE 3rd BATTALION 16th BAVARIAN INFANTRY REGIMENT.

"The battalion has just received orders from Lieutenant-Colonel Kummo that it is placed under orders of the 3rd Battalion 16th Bavarian Regiment as sector reserve. The battalion consists at the present time of three officers, two non-commissioned officers, and 19 men."

MONDAY, 9.45 P.M.

Incessant rain and heavy mist have again interfered with the operations, and nothing of importance has occurred on the British front to-day.

In the local actions which have taken place we have captured some more prisoners, and the total of wounded German prisoners taken by the British since the 1st July is 189 officers and 10,779 other ranks.

German losses in artillery have been greater than at first reported. The captured armaments already collected by our troops now include five 8-inch howitzers, three 6-inch howitzers, four 6-inch guns, five other heavy guns, 37 field guns, 30 trench howitzers, 66 machine guns, and many thousands of rounds of gun ammunition of all descriptions.

The above is exclusive of many guns not yet brought in and of the numbers destroyed by our artillery bombardment and abandoned by the enemy.

A telegram received from the Belgian Commander-in-Chief in the Congo reports that the Belgians are making rapid progress, cutting off the Germans in the region between Lake Tanganyika and Lake Victoria.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies is informed that the High Commissioner for New Zealand had received up to the 14th inst. a sum of £44,182, which has been raised in New Zealand for dependents of men lost in the recent North Sea battle.

ROLL OF HONOUR

CONTINUED HEAVY CASUALTIES.

Last night's lists show the following casualties:—Officers—Dead, 73; wounded and missing, 274. Men—Dead, 424; wounded and missing, 1,467.

The following casualties are reported:—

OFFICERS KILLED.

ALDOUS, Sec. Lt. A. E., Border Regt.
ARMSTRONG, Maj. J. N. N., R.E.
BRAMPAS, Sec. Lt. R. H., Northumberland Fus.
BURNEY, Capt. G. A., Yeomanry and R.F.C.
BARON, Sec. Lt. S. P., Sherwood Foresters.
BEVEN, Sec. Lt. F. C., South Lance. Regt.
BLAIR, Capt. A., South Lance. Regt.
BROWETT, Capt. N., Warwick Regt.
BROWN, Lt. J. W., South African Infantry.
BURT, Sec. Lt. F. W., Sherwood Foresters.
CAMPBELL, Lt. D., M.C., Canadian Infantry.
CARNEGY, Maj. J., North Stafford Regt.
CARPENTER, Capt. H. M. S., Duke of Well. Regt.
CONNOR, Maj. J., R.E., South African Infantry.
COOK, Capt. Rev. G., Sec. Lt. A. J. T., R.G.A., att. R.F.C.
CRUICKSHANK, Lt. R. F., Cameronians.
DAVIES, Capt. E. G., Welsh Fusiliers.
DOUGLAS, Lt.-Col. M. J., C.M.G., Border Regt.
DOUST, Sec. Lt. C. B., Leeds Rifles.
DOYLE, Sec. Lt. J. C., West Yorks Regt.
EDMANSON, Lt. J., Yorks Lt. Infantry.
EDWARDS, Sec. Lt. S. S., London Regt.
EVANS, Sec. Lt. J. S., Liverpool Regt.
EVANS, Sec. Lt. E. J., West Yorks Regt.
EVERITT, Sec. Lt. F. A., London Regt.
FARLEY, Sec. Lt. H., Warwick Regt.
FIELD, Sec. Lt. L. W., London Regt.
FIELDING, Lt.-Col. W. P., London Regt.
FLEETWOOD, Sec. Lt. G., South Lance. Regt.
FLETCHER, Sec. Lt. L. W. G., Lincoln Regt.
FLETCHER, Sec. Lt. W. G., Border Regt.
FORSDIKE, Sec. Lt. G. H., Border Regt.
FOSS, Sec. Lt. G. H., London Regt.
FRADD, Sec. Lt. G., Warwick Regt.
FURSSELL, Lt. G. G., York and Lancs Regt.
GARLAND, Capt. J. R., Border Regt.
GORDON, Sec. Lt. C. C., London Regt.
GOWERS, Sec. Lt. H. C., Border Regt.
GREEN, Lt. A. A., Welsh Regt.
GRIFFITHS, Lt. R. J., Welsh Regt.
HALCROW, Sec. Lt. J. V., London Regt.
HANDYSIDE, Capt. C. S., London Regt.
HARVEY, Capt. R. S., Northumberland Fus.
HAY, Sec. Lt. J. J., Rifle Brigade.
HENDERSON, Capt. A. W. (late Lieut.), Lancs Regt.
HERBERT, Lt. W. R. H., Lincoln Regt.
HEWITT, Sec. Lt. F., Lincoln Regt.
HITCHON, Sec. Lt. F., Welsh Fusiliers.
HOLLINGBERRY, Lt. H., Warwick Regt.
HOSKINS, Lt. L. J., Kent Regt.
JOE, Sec. Lt. T. H., Royal Dublin Fus.
INGOLDBY, Lt.-Col. R. H. H., Warwick Regt.
JONES, Lt.-Col. R. A., C.M.G., Warwick Regt.
JONES, Capt. W. H., D.S.O., S. African In.
JOYCE, Lt.-Col. F. A., C.M.G., Scottish Rifles.
KENYON, Sec. Lt. H. C., Scaforth Highlanders.
KNIGHT, Sec. Lt. H. C., Scaforth Highlanders.
LANCASTER, Sec. Lt. J. H., North Stafford Regt.
LAWTON, Sec. Lt. H. S., Lancashire Fusiliers.
MACIVER, Lt. R. S., Liverpool Regt.
MACWALTER, Capt. G. S., R.A.M.C.
MELLY, Sec. Lt. H. P., Rifle Brigade.
MORUM, Sec. Lt. J. F., Rifle Brigade.
O'SULLIVAN, Sec. Lt. H. L., Devonshire Regt.
PALMER, Sec. Lt. R. H., Sherwood Foresters.
PAYNE, Capt. J. C., M.D., R.A.M.C.
REY, Capt. J. C. M., Army Chaplain's Dept.
ROGERS, Sec. Lt. G. E. H., Gloucestershire Regt.
ROSS, Sec. Lt. G. F. H., Sherwood Foresters.
RUSH, Sec. Lt. J. P., Northamptonshire Regt.
SHIELD, Sec. Lt. T. O. L., Loyal Nth. Lancs. Regt.
WILKINSON, Capt. C. A., Wiltshire Regt.

OFFICER DIED OF WOUNDS.

HOLMAN, Lt. G. H. W., Wilts Regt.

OFFICERS WOUNDED.

ALLEN, Sec. Lt. C. H., Norfolk Regt.
ARRINDELL, Capt. W. A., Warwick Regt.
ASTON, Sec. Lt. J. H., Duke of Wellington's Regt.
ATKINSON, Capt. J., Duke of Wellington's Regt.
AYLLIFFE, Sec. Lt. J., Essex Regt.
BANKS, Capt. C. M., Essex Regt.
BARNES, Sec. Lt. R., Royal Engineers.
BAYLY, Sec. Lt. H. J. K., South Lancs. Regt.
BEALE, Sec. Lt. C. H., South Lancs. Regt.
BEHNEY, Sec. Lt. H. B., R.E.
BEVAN, Lt. G. D., Sherwood Foresters.
BIRON, Capt. K. N., Sherwood Foresters.
BORRELL, Sec. Lt. H. C., North Stafford Regt.
BRADSHAW, Capt. M. H. K., Norfolk Regt.
BRIGHT-BEITON, Sec. Lt. H. E., South Lancashire Regt.
BROWN, Lt. N. F., South Lancashire Regt.
BROWN, Lt. N. S., Warwick Regt.
BRUCE, Sec. Lt. R., Cheshire Regt.
BRUCE, Lt.-Col. G. M. S., Lincoln Regt.
BRUNTON, Lt. J., Northumberland Fusiliers.
BURT, Sec. Lt. L. C., Northumberland Fusiliers.
BYRNE, Lt. J. O., Northumberland Fusiliers.
CARTWRIGHT, Capt. R., Wilts Regt.
CHOLMONDELEY, Capt. R., North Lancashire Regt.
CLARKE, Lt. E. B., Worcester Regt.
CLARKE, Lt. C. F. S., Worcester Regt.
CLOCKBILL, Sec. Lt. W. S., Gloucestershire Regt.
COCKBILL, Sec. Lt. W. S., Warwick Regt.
COLDICUTT, Sec. Lt. W. J., North Stafford Regt.
COLE, Capt. A. H., Canadian Trench Mortar
COMPTON, Lt. W. A. G., Canadian Infantry.
COWELL, Sec. Lt. F. B., Northumberland Fus.
CRUWYS, Sec. Lt. H. M. P., Worcester Regt.
CURRIE, Lt. T., South Stafford Regt.
DAWSON, Sec. Lt. A. M., Worcester Regt.
DICKINSON, Sec. Lt. L. W., London Regt.
DOUGLAS, Sec. Lt. L. F., North Stafford Regt.
DODMAN, Sec. Lt. J. O., Northumberland Fus.
DUPLAT, Capt. C. F., Border Regt.
EDGAR, Sec. Lt. J. R., York and Lan. Regt.
EKIN, Lt. R. A. M., R.A.M.C.
ELLIOTT, Capt. J. E. B., London Regt.
EMSLIE, Sec. Lt. H. H., Royal Fusiliers.
FRANKLIN, Sec. Lt. J. H., Gloucester Regt.
FRY, Capt. G. S., North Stafford Regt.
GIBBS, Capt. A. H., Lincoln Regt.
GODFREY-FAUSSETT, Maj. T., D.S.O., Lincoln Regt.
GRANT, Lt.-Col. A. D., Machine Gun Corps.
GRAY, Lt.-Col. A. D., Wiltshire Regt.
GULLICK, Capt. C. J. C. W., Worcester Regt.
HAIGH, Sec. Lt. C. H., Loyal North Lancs. Regt.
HAMER, Sec. Lt. C. M., Lincoln Regt.
HANNING, Sec. Lt. H. J., South Lancs. Regt.
HARRIS, Sec. Lt. R. B., White Regt.
HARTLEY, Major H. B., South African Infantry.
HEATH, Lt. C. R., Gloucester Regt.
HASTINGS, Capt. N. H., Canadian Infantry.
HERON, Lt. E. R., Lincoln Regt. (attached R.M.F.).
HOPE, Lt.-Col. J. C., Corps.
HOPE, Lt. Col. J. C., South Lancs. Regt.
HORNBY, Sec. Lt. W., Welsh Fusiliers.
HOWELLS, Capt. W. A., Manchester Regt.
HUTCHINSON, Capt. C. A., Warwick Regt.
HYNE, Capt. C., South Lancs. Regt.
JOHNSON, Lt. R. T. P., Welsh Fusiliers.
JONES, Sec. Lt. L., South Lancs. Regt.
JONES, Sec. Lt. H. L., Welsh Regt.
KAY, Lt. C. N. G., Northumberland Fus.
KOCH, Sec. Lt. C. H., Liverpool Regt.
LAING, Sec. Lt. R. W. B., K.R.R. Corps.
LAW, Lt. H. F., Liverpool Regt.
LAWRENCE, Sec. Lt. R., York and Lan. Regt.
LEAR, Sec. Lt. R., Canadian Infantry.
LEATHWAITE, Lt. D., Warwick Regt.
LEOPOLD, Lt. H. E., Welsh Regt.
LEVETT, Lt. H. R., Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
LOCKIE, Capt. J., Scottish Rifles.
LOWE, Lt. R. H., Welsh Regt.
LUCAS, Sec. Lt. H. L., South Lancs. Regt.
LUMLEY, Capt. C. H., Highland L.I.
McCLINTOCK, Lt. H. L., Cheshire Regt.
MALLINSON, Sec. Lt. J., Lincoln Regt.
MARSHALL, Sec. Lt. R. F., Royal Fusiliers.
MARSHALL, Sec. Lt. W., North Stafford Regt.
MEIR, Lt. H. W., Welsh Regt.
MELLEATHER, Sec. Lt. C. E., D. of Wellington's Regt.
MILLIN, Sec. Lt. C. H. G., Sherwood Foresters.
MINFIE, Sec. Lt. J. G., Lincoln Regt.
MORGAN, Sec. Lt. C., Welsh Fusiliers.
MORRIS, Sec. Lt. W. G., Welsh Fusiliers.
NEEDHAM, Sec. Lt. J. C., Scaforth Highlanders.
NEWBIGGING, Capt. G., Northumberland Fus.
NORMAN, Sec. Lt. R. C. O., North Stafford R.
NORRIS, Sec. Lt. L. V., North Stafford Regt.
NORTON, Sec. Lt. L. V., Warwick Regt.
OAKLEY, Sec. Lt. J. P., Norfolk Regt.
O'DOWD, Sec. Lt. J. M., Royal Welsh Fus.
O'KEARNEY-WHITE, Sec. Lt. F., South Lancs. Regt.
OVERTON, Sec. Lt. T. H. S., Northumberland Fus.
PARKES, Lt. W., South Wales Borderers.
PARKES, Lt. W., Highland L.I.
PAYNTER, Sec. Lt. H. S., East Surrey Regt.
PENNEFATHER, Lt. G. W., Wiltshire Regt.
PHILLIPS, Lt. L. N., Duke of Wellington's Regt.
POOLEY, Sec. Lt. J. A., Canadian Infantry.
POULTNEY, Sec. Lt. J. W., South Lancashire Regt.
POWNALL, Sec. Lt. H. G., Cheshire Regt.
PRESTON, Sec. Lt. R. G., South Lancashire Regt.
RATHBONE, Capt. C. A., Wiltshire Regt.
RICHARDS, Sec. Lt. F. W., Sherwood Foresters.
ROBINSON, Sec. Lt. M. F., Machine Gun Corps.
ROSE, Sec. Lt. W. F., Loyal Nth. Lancs. Regt.

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SPECIAL EXTRA.

DISAPPOINTED IRISH M.P.'S.

Writing last night, the Parliamentary correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle* says:—Irish members heard with dismay that Thursday is assigned for a debate on the Mesopotamia campaign, for they were hoping that the bill embodying the Irish agreement would be introduced on that day. That bill is already in draft, but it has yet to be approved by the whole Cabinet. It will probably be the chief subject before the Cabinet summoned for Wednesday morning. Mr. Redmond will, on Wednesday, ask the Prime Minister when the Irish bill will be brought in. It is expected that the answer will be "early next week." Can it be wondered in these circumstances that the Irish Nationalists are restive and unhappy?

WHO LAUGHS NOW?

In a leading article, with the caption "The Great Betrayal," the *Morning Post* contends that the Home Rule Act is condemned by common consent. The Act, it says, was passed when the British people did not understand the dangers which they now see before them. Before the war, opponents of Home Rule predicted the danger of a dominant party in an Irish Government intriguing with an enemy. They were laughed at. Who laughs at them now? After the rebellion in Ireland no one can say that there is no party in Ireland capable of shooting our soldiers and intriguing with our enemies. No one can now deny it, for it has happened. Therefore, the rebellion wipes the Home Rule Act off the Statute Book. What the Government propose is something different. They propose to divide Ireland, and to give Home Rule to the most disaffected parts. That is the great betrayal—the betrayal of the United Kingdom, the betrayal which concerns England, Scotland, and Wales as much as Ireland. We see that there is an Imperial Unionist Association formed "to watch negotiations." If they take their stand merely on such subordinate points as Lord Lansdowne is defending they will play a losing and a useless game. Let them take their stand upon the Union. It is the only firm ground. Let them resolve that the Union must be saved, and fight for that cause—not for any temporary alleviation of the position of loyal Irishmen.

DISMAY IN GERMANY.

To say that there is a panic in Germany would be an exaggeration, says the special correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* at Rotterdam. But it is well within the truth to describe the present feeling as one of the deepest gloom. Neutral observers who have marvelled at the confidence which the German nation has sustained for nearly two years are equally marvelling now at the change which has come, within the last week or so—that is to say, since the Allies' successes on the Western front. The people were first disillusioned and then frightened. I am

ROLL OF HONOUR.

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ROSS, Sec. Lt. J. H., Royal Flying Corps.
ROTHON, Sec. Lt. C. F., Dorset Regt.
ROWLAND, Sec. Lt. G. M., Lincoln Regt.
SANDS, Sec. Lt. H. S., Sherwood Foresters.
SANDS, Sec. Lt. T. S., Wiltshire Regt.
SEAGRAVE, Lt. H. O.N. de H., Warwick Regt. (attached R.F.C.).
SELLS, Sec. Lt. A. J., West Surrey Regt.
SHEPHERARD, Sec. Lt. H. B., North Lancashire R.
SHEETE, Lt. J. L., Warwick Regt.
SHENTON, Lt. E. E., South African Infantry.
SIMPSON, Lt. J. J., Lancaster Regt.
SNELGAR, Sec. Lt. J. T., Wiltshire Regt.
SOAR, Sec. Lt. E., Lincolnshire Regt.
SPENCE, Capt. A., M.B., R.E.
SQUIRE, Sec. Lt. H., Gloucester Regt.
STOCKBRIDGE, Sec. Lt. L. M., Wiltshire Regt.
STUART, Capt. F., South Lancashire Regt.
STUART, Sec. Lt. H. C. D., Lancashire Regt.
TAYLOR, Sec. Lt. C. A., South Lancashire Regt.
TOVEY, Sec. Lt. E. W., Wiltshire Regt.
THOMAS, Major B., Gloucester Regt.
THRUPP, Sec. Lt. R. M., Sherwood Foresters.
TIPTAM, Sec. Lt. G. W., Manchester Regt.
TROUGHTON, Sec. Lt. S. J., Wiltshire Regt.
TWEEDIE, Lt. D., Canadian Infantry.
WALKER, Sec. Lt. J. E. M., Sherwood Foresters.
WEBB, Lt. H. E., R.E.
WEBSTER, Capt. A. E., Sherwood Foresters.
WILLIAMS, Capt. H. L., Welsh Fusiliers.
WILLIAMS, Sec. Lt. W. H., Welsh Regt.
WILSON, Sec. Lt. H., French Mortar Battery.
WOODLANDS, Sec. Lt. F. G., North Stafford Regt.

OFFICER WOUNDED AND MISSING.

WILLIAMS, Sec. Lt. A. W. R., Welsh Regt.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported wounded and missing:—

ROGERS, Lt. H. G., Canadian Mounted Rifles.

OFFICERS MISSING, BELIEVED WOUNDED.

PITHER, Sec. Lt. H. F., Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

OFFICERS MISSING.

ABELL, Capt. L. H., Cheshire Regt.
BIRD, Sec. Lt. J. G., Lancashire Fusiliers.
BRITTON, Sec. Lt. J. O., Army Ordnance Corps.
BROWNE, Sec. Lt. E. E., Lancashire Fusiliers.
CAVEY, Sec. Lt. W. E., Northumberland Fusiliers.
CHAMBERS, Sec. Lt. H. E., R.E.
CAREY, Sec. Lt. R. C., Suffolk Regt.
CHALK, Sec. Lt. T. W., Suffolk Regt.
CLEGG, Sec. Lt. W., Lancashire Fusiliers.
DAVIS, Sec. Lt. W. J., Sherwood Foresters.
DOWSE, Sec. Lt. W. H., Suffolk Regt.
DONCASTER, Sec. Lt. R., Lancashire Fusiliers.
DUNLOP, Sec. Lt. R., Cheshire Regt.
DOWSE, Lt. W. A. C., Cheshire Regt.
DUNN, Sec. Lt. J., York and Lancaster Regt.
EDWARDS, Sec. Lt. E., Essex Regt.
FINLAY, Sec. Lt. E. N. A., Rifle Brigade.
FRANKLIN, Sec. Lt. H. F., West Yorkshire Regt.
FERRAN, Sec. Lt. F. H., Lancashire Fusiliers.
FROST, Sec. Lt. R. W., Suffolk Regt.
GATES, Sec. Lt. G. W., Lincolnshire Regt.
GILES, Sec. Lt. F. V., Berkshire Regt.
GODFREY, Sec. Lt. E. H., Bedfordshire Regt.
GRIFFE, Sec. Lt. A. E., South Lancashire Regt.
HASSE, Sec. Lt. E. G., Berkshire Regt.
HAMPSON, Sec. Lt. J., Lancashire Fusiliers.
HAIGH, Sec. Lt. J. J., York and Lancaster Regt.
HALL, Capt. C. H., Dublin Fusiliers.
JACKSON, Sec. Lt. E., Lancashire Fusiliers.
LOGAN, Capt. C. R., Suffolk Regt.
LOGAN, Lt. W. H., R.A.M.C.
LONGHURST, Sec. Lt. L., Sherwood Foresters.
MACLAREN, Capt. C. S., Lancashire Fusiliers.
MALABAR, Sec. Lt. C., Essex Regt.
MAXWELL, Capt. Lt. C., Essex Regt.
MAY, Sec. Lt. H. K., Berkshire Regt.
MERRIN, Lt. H. G., R.E.
NEILL, Lieut. R. H., Royal Irish Rifles.
PARTRIDGE, Sec. Lt. H. J., Berkshire Regt.
PAYNE, Lieut. O. G., Berkshire Regt.
PEACOCKE, Sec. Lieut. H. F., Sligo Rifles.
PRAKE, Sec. Lt. A., South African Infantry.
ROBINSON, Lieut. R. S., Berkshire Regt.
ROBINSON, Sec. Lt. J. L., Lancashire Fusiliers.
ROBINSON, Sec. Lieut. J., 5th. Wales Borderers.
ROSE, Lieut. R. S., Lincoln Regt.
ROWLEY, Lieut. H. T., Berkshire Regt.
RUTHERFORD, Capt. E. B., West Surrey Regt.
SAUNDERS, Lieut. W., R.E.
SHAW, Lieut. C. G., Lincoln Regt.
SHARP, Lieut. H., West Surrey Regt.
SHIRREFF, Sec. Lieut. F. G., Berkshire Regt.
SMITH, Sec. Lieut. G. L., Lancashire Fusiliers.
SPENCER, Lieut. J. J., Lancashire Regt.
STROUD, Sec. Lieut. R. G., York and Lanc. Regt.
STOCKDALE, Sec. Lieut. J., Lincoln Regt.
THOMPSON, Major F. G., West Yorks. Regt.
TOMLINSON, Sec. Lieut. C. H., Sherwood For.
WACE, Lieut. A., Berkshire Regt.
WALKER, Sec. Lieut. J., Northumberland Fus.
WARD, Sec. Lieut. E. C. B., Lancashire Regt.
WARD, Sec. Lieut. A. D. W., West Surrey Regt.
WARREN, Sec. Lieut. H. C., West Surrey Regt.
WHITE, Sec. Lieut. A. C., York and Lanc. Regt.
WOOD, Sec. Lieut. R. V., West Kent Regt.
WOOD, Sec. Lieut. T. P., Suffolk Regt.
WRIGHT, Lieut. C. H., Lancashire Fusiliers.
WRIGHT, Capt. J., West Yorkshire Regt.
WRIGHT, Lieut. E. S., Suffolk Regt.
WRONG, Lieut. H. V., Lancashire Fusiliers.

KUT-EL-AMARA.

The following officers have been reported by the Base as believed to have been taken prisoners at Kut-el-Amara, or their wills have been received from the Turkish Government:—

ALEXANDER, Major A. C., R.G.A.
ANDERSON, Major A. J., Indian Volunteer Artillery Battery.
BAINES, Lieut. H. V., Indian Army Res. of Officers.
BALL, Major T. L., Supply and Transport Corps.
BAYDAN, Major W. H., R.E.
BHARUCHA, Capt. P. B., Indian Medical Service.
BOLTON, Lieut. F. T., R.F.A.
BOWLES, Major Gen. G. H. G., Indian Army Res. of Officers.
CANE, Capt. G. S., R.A.M.C.
CARLISLE, Capt. T. R. M., R.F.A.
CLARKE, Lieut. C. S., West Kent Regt.
COOK, Capt. W. K., Supply and Transport Corps.
CORBETT, Lieut. H. C., Indian Infantry, attached R.F.C.
DARLING, Capt. H. G., R.F.A.
DAVEY, Sec. Lieut. F. B., Indian Vol. Artill. Batt.
DAVIES, Major H. W., Supply and Transport Corps.
DEVELIN, Lieut. J. F., R.F.A.
EDMONDS, Sec. Lieut. P. N., R.F.A.
FARMAR, Major W. G. R., R.E.
FLUX, Lieut. R. L., R.F.A.
FREELAND, Capt. K. T., Indian Vol. Artill. Batt.
FREYE, Capt. H. C., R.A.M.C.
GALLUP, Sec. Lieut. H. C., R.F.A.
Gardiner, Lieut. J. W., Indian Army Res. of Offic.
GUISE, Capt. V. E. R. G., R.F.A.
HALFORD, Capt. E. G., R.F.A.
HERAPATH, Capt. G. E., Indian Infantry.
HOLMES, Lieut. R. H., R.F.A.
JONES, Sec. Lieut. E. H., Indian Vol. Artill. Batt.
JONES, Sec. Lieut. F. A.
LANG, Lieut. A., Supply and Transport Corps.
LESMOND, Sec. Lieut. C. A., Indian Army Res. of Officers.
LEWIS, Sec. Lieut. P. S., R.F.A.
LLOYD, Lieut. W. G. W., Suffolk Regt.
McDERMOTT, Sec. Lieut. C. H., Indian Army Res. of Officers.
McNEILE, Lieut.-Col. H. S. D., R.F.A.
MATHIAS, Lieut. L. W., Indian Army.
MIDDLEMASS, Major R. W. H., Supply and Transport Corps.
MUNDY, Capt. S. C. B., Oxford and Bucks L.I., attached R.F.C.
O'DONOGHUE, Lieut. P. E., Indian Subordinate Medical Service.
PARSONS, Sec. Lieut. R. G., R.G.A.
PRICE, Major Supply and Transport Corps.
RAE, Capt. G. R., Supply and Transport Corps.
ROBINSON, Capt. A., R.F.A.
ROWNDING, Sec. Lieut. A. G., R.G.A.
SMITH, Major H. B., R.F.A.
SPENCE, Lieut. Hector, Indian Vol. Artillery Batt.
THOMSON, Major H. G., R.F.A.
TRAFFORD, Sec. Lieut. W. E., R.F.A.
WALKER, Major A. M., R.F.A.
WELLS, Capt. T. R., Indian Infantry, attached R.F.C.
WHITE, Lieut. G. E., Supply and Transport Corps.
WILLIAMS, Lieut. E. E., R.G.A.
WILLIAMS, Lieut. L. P. J., R.G.A.
WILSON, Lieut. E. W. B., R.F.A.

NAVAL LIST.

The Secretary of the Admiralty announces the following casualty:—

DIED 15th JULY, 1916.

Acting Engineer Commander JAMES H. WATT, R.D., R.N.R.

ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.

Quinn, J. E. (Portadown).

ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.

Galvin, J. (Passage West).

DIED OF WOUNDS.

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.

Berry, W. J. (Hills-borough).
Dickson, J. (Belfast).
Harrison, R. (Ederny).
Brown, J. (Lisburn).
Smith, J. (Hillsborough).
Brown, T. (Dromore).
Waring, J. (Dunmurry).

LEINSTER REGIMENT.

Parsons, Sgt. A. (Cashel)

WOUNDED.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Keller, Gnr. D. (Cork).

ROYAL SCOTS GUARDS.

McGuire, F. (Drogheda).

IRISH GUARDS.

Bartholomew, L/Cpl. P. (Kilkenny).
Nethersteat, L/Cpl. G. (Sydenham).
Brady, P. B. (Cavan).
Sweeney, M. (Moate).

KING'S (LIVERPOOL REGIMENT).

Gilmore, W. (Ballybay).
Johnson, L/Cpl. S. (Belfast).

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.

Bailie, R. (Belfast).
Jenkinson, R. (Bush).
Bell, W. (Dromore).
Kerrigan, P. (Derry).
Bradley, J. (Cookstown).
Kettles, L/Cpl. W. (Enniskillen).
Brown, J. (Durham).
Campbell, F. (Belfast).
Kinnear, M. (Omagh).
McBridge, J. (Kinkit).
Corr, R. (Letterkenny).
Cosgrove, W. J. (Cookstown).
Casley, D. (Belfast).
Clarke, J. (Greencastle).
McGilly, E. (Enniskillin).
Cooke, R. (Pintona).
Mccandless, R. (Belfast).
Cork, C. (Derry).
Mole, H. (Birmingham).
Crossan, J. (Belfast).
Moore, L/Cpl. J. (Dunsilan).
Dempster, T. (Belfast).
Doey, T. (Coleraine).
Moynes, J. (Belfast).
Donnelly, J. (Dunbarton).
Murphie, A. F. (Belfast).
Donnelly, W. (Glasgow).
Proctor, S. (Coalisland).
Fitzsimmons, J. (Donaghadee).
Simpson, T. (Greenville).
Forde, J. (Ballymena).
Smyth, D. (Londonderry).
Gilmour, H. (Newtownstewart).
Sterling, W. (Belfast).
Stevenson, W. (Gilnahead).
Grant, P. (Belfast).
Hall, W. G. (Donaghmore).
Sloan, H. (London, N.W.)
Tommans, A. Sgt. W. (Nottingham).
Hailey, J. (Belfast).
Hamilton, J. (Belfast).
Waterworth, S. (Belfast).
Heaney, L/Cpl. T. (Edgarstown).
Woods, L/Cpl. F. (London).
Henderson, J. (Kilsherry).
Woods, W. (Londonderry, Kell.)

KING'S ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.

Clarke, A. (Portrush).
Wagner, T. F. (Cork).

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.

Alcherson, Cpl. W. (Belfast).
Beh-Miller, J. (Antrim).
Stewart, J. (Ballymoney).
Johnston, J. (Antrim).
McAdam, T. (Belfast).
Stratton, W. J. (Belfast).

ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.

Craig, J. (Twodevon).
Mellroy, A. (Lurgan).
Loney, O. (Richhill).

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Corbett, J. (Rathcreedy).
O'Keefe, E. (Knocklang).
Mullane, L/Sgt. J. (Limerick).
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Swanton, M. (Bandon).
Nevin, T. (Kilrush).
Wise, L/Cpl. D. (Cork).

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Edwards, F. (Gelligaer).
Williams, G. (Clonmel).

WOUNDED, SHOCK-SHELL.

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.

Baker, B. (Enniskillen).
Dick, C. (Enniskillen).

ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.

Carroll, E. (Kilmallock).
Murphy, M. (Wexford).
Cashman, L/C. (Limerick).
Fox, O'Sullivan, L/C. M. (Cork).

Previously reported wounded, now reported wounded and missing:—

ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.

Curtis, T. (Dalkey).
Duggan, P. (Belfast).

Previously reported prisoner of war:—

CONNAUGHT RANGERS.

Cassidy, F. (Stevenage).

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Captain Rev. D. O'Sullivan.—Captain Rev. D. O'Sullivan, killed in action, was a native of Killarney district, and had seen a great deal of service as a Roman Catholic chaplain. Killed by a shell on 5th inst., he was buried behind the lines on the following day. A brother chaplain writing from the front says:—"He was much loved by the officers and men of the brigade. He was quite fearless, and faced any danger when it was a question of giving the Sacraments to the wounded and virtue comes into his own. His character—cheerful and energetic—and was one of the most sealous chaplains I have met."

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Second Lieutenant D. Cole.—Second Lieutenant D. Cole, reported killed in Sunday evening's official list, belonged to the Pioneer Battalion of the Devons, and had only been with his commission for a few weeks when he fell in action.

Second Lieutenant D. M. Riddell.—Second Lieutenant David M. Riddell, wounded, is the son of Councillor Henry Riddell, Marryille Park and Great Victoria street, Belfast. He has held a commission in the Liverpool Regiment since 1914, when he joined the Army through the Queen's O.T.C., Belfast.

Second Lieutenant H. Floyd.—Second Lieutenant H. Floyd, Royal Flying Corps, reported missing since 9th inst., is the only son of Mr. Floyd, Kilkeel, Co. Down. Prior to receiving his commission in the R.F.C. he was a despatch rider in the Royal Engineers, and has had very narrow escapes in the early stages of the war.

Second Lieutenant J. Watson.—Second Lieutenant J. Watson, killed, was a son of the late Alexander Watson, Ashfield, Cornascreebe, Tandragee. Before the war he was a clerk in the Ulster Bank, Belfast. Early in this war he enlisted in the ranks of the 15th Battalion Royal Irish Rifles, from which he received a commission in the Special Reserve of the Rifles on 29th October, 1915.

Second Lieutenant C. V. Smylie.—Second Lieutenant Cecil V. Smylie, wounded on 10th inst., is the third son of Mr. Hugh Smylie, chartered accountant, 13 Donegall square, North, Belfast. Before joining the Army he was engaged in his father's business as an articled clerk.

Second Lieutenant D. O. Turpin.—Second Lieutenant D. O. Turpin, Royal Irish Rifles, was wounded in action on the 9th inst. His father, who is the manager of the Portadown branch of the Belfast Bank, has since received a letter from him stating that he is in hospital in France, that his wounds are slight, and that he is progressing satisfactorily.

Second Lieutenant R. J.—Second Lieutenant N. B. Jee, wounded, belongs to the Machine Gun Company of the Belfast Brigade of the Ulster Division, to which he was recently transferred from the Shropshire Light Infantry. He was serving under Lieutenant G. E. Saunderson, formerly of the West Belfast Volunteers, whose death in action was reported earlier in the week.

Second Lieutenant B. Reid.—At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Operative Butchers' Trade Union, held on 11th inst., Mr. John Troy presiding—the following resolution was adopted unanimously:—"That this Committee, representing the general body of the operative butchers of Dublin, hereby tenders to Mr. Michael Reid and to Mrs. Reid and family its deepest sympathy in their recent sad loss owing to the death of Second Lieutenant Bernard Reid, B.A., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, who was killed in action."

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Lance-Corporal David B. Percy.—The death in action is announced of Lance-Corporal David B. Percy, a brother of Mr. J. C. Percy, of Dublin. David Percy was the youngest member of his family, and at the time of his death was twenty-six years of age. He served his time to the printing trade, and was for some years associated with the Sackville Press. At the time of the outbreak of the war he was engaged in business in London, and at once answered his country's call. He joined the 8th Norfolk Regiment as a private, refusing to wait for a promised commission, and after putting in a period of training went to the front in January of last year. He has not been home since he went to France, and in one of the last letters received from him he spoke of the pleasure he anticipated in seeing his friends after the operations then in contemplation. Writing to Mr. J. C. Percy, the officer of his platoon, Second Lieutenant Page, says:—"His loss is greatly felt by all the remaining members of his platoon, whose sympathy is extended to you. He was a fine example of a British soldier, and such men are difficult to replace."

PROPOSED UNION OF FREE CHURCHES.

Considerable discussion took place yesterday at a conference of the United Methodist Church, Rochdale, on a proposal to send a deputation to the Free Church Conference at Oxford in September to consider the union of the Free Churches. The delegates feared that in any scheme for the reduction of the Free Churches, to prevent overlapping, smaller denominations would be the first to go, but a deputation was appointed, with the caution that it would not commit the connection to any scheme of federation.

DUBLIN CORPORATION.

REBUILDING WORK IN THE CITY.

RESULT OF DEPUTATION TO PREMIER.

An adjourned quarterly meeting of the Dublin Municipal Council was held in the City Hall yesterday. The Lord Mayor presided.

REBUILDING PLANS.

Alderman Sir Joseph Downes drew attention to the question of plans which had been passed by the Paving Committee with regard to rebuilding in the city. It was, he said, understood that they should be brought up again at that meeting, but he saw no reference to them on the agenda.

The Town Clerk said that the question was discussed at the last meeting, and as that was an adjourned meeting only they could not discuss a question twice at the same meeting. The question was adjourned on the Lord Mayor undertaking to call a special meeting to deal with it.

The Lord Mayor said that the special meeting to consider it would be held on Friday.

DEPUTATION TO PREMIER.

The Lord Mayor, proceeding, referred to the deputation which recently waited on the Prime Minister in connection with the reconstruction of the city. The deputation was received on Thursday week, and was introduced by Mr. John Redmond, accompanied by the city members, and Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P. The Premier received them very courteously, and the case for the Corporation was put before him by himself (the Lord Mayor), the Town Clerk, and Mr. Clancy, M.P., who made a very eloquent speech. They got a very encouraging and a very substantial concession from the Prime Minister, and he thought the best thing they could do would be to let the matter go to the special meeting on Friday, at which they could discuss the special report of the deputation, a copy of which he submitted. Both the deputation and the Irish representation present came away quite satisfied that their demands were going to be fully met. The bill was already printed, and in a very short time important powers would be granted to the Corporation.

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DISEASED MEAT.

Mr. Sherlock, moving the report of the Public Health Committee with regard to the system employed for the detection of unsound or diseased meat, said that the manner in which the vast majority of the victuallers in Dublin carried on their business was complimentary to them, but a small section were carrying on a deadly trade in diseased, if not poisonous meat which was purchased at comparatively low rates by the poorer classes. The present system of inspection was admittedly a failure, and the Committee recommended the reduction of the private slaughter-houses in the city with a view to ultimately having all cattle slaughtered in a central abattoir.

central meat inspection store, where all dead cattle coming into Dublin would be inspected by the veterinary officer for sale, was also recommended. The four inspectors admitted that they were unable to trace diseased meat, which admittedly came to certain parts in the city, and it was recommended that they would be transferred to another department of the Public Health Committee.

Mr. Ryan seconded. The whole system of meat inspection in Dublin, he said, was rotten from top to bottom. They had it from one of the leading butchers in the city that more bad meat came out of the abattoir than came into the City of Dublin.

The City High Sheriff said that before the Committee went to legislate for the victuallers they should learn to conduct their own business. He thought that the matter should be adjourned for a year to enable the Public Health Committee to devise a proper scheme of meat inspection, for the equipment of a central abattoir, and for the better inspection of the live stock market.

Mr. Donaghey seconded.

The report was adopted.

MARTIAL LAW.

Alderman Byrne, M.P., in moving that "this Council demands the immediate withdrawal of martial law," said that the D.M.P. force was now being trained in the use of firearms. He knew there was a good deal of dissatisfaction amongst the members of the force as well as amongst the general public in regard to that, and, in view of the speech of the Chief Secretary in the House of Lords the other night, it would seem that the city would in future be governed by the police and the country by the Resident Magistrates. The continuance of martial law in Dublin would do more harm to the British Government than the Irish people could do of themselves at any time. In view of the proposed Irish settlement, if martial law were not withdrawn there would be no settlement.

Mr. Brohoon seconded the motion, which was passed with a few dissentients.

ARRESTED EMPLOYES.

Alderman Byrne also moved a resolution providing that where an employe of the Council, arrested or detained by the military, had been discharged "without being found guilty of the charges made against him," leave of absence covering such period of detention be given him, his usual remuneration paid him, and the period of detention not to count as a break in his service.

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Alderman Byrne further moved a resolution condemning in the strongest possible manner the action of Dublin employers who had victimised their employes by dismissing them because of their relationship with those who participated in the recent rising.

Mr. Brohoon seconded.

Mr. Sherlock said that a number of these cases were being dealt with, and if the motion were postponed for a month he thought that the outcome would be satisfactory. Without expressing any sympathy with the rebellion, he might point out that even in the Government service where men had been arrested and deported and afterwards found to be free of any connection with the rebellion they were being taken back in their jobs, and, surely, when this was so the Dublin Port and Docks Board and other public interests should not be more loyal than the Government.

The motion was adjourned in accordance with this suggestion.

PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATION.

Mr. Gleeson moved that the Law Agent and the Town Clerk should be instructed to take the necessary steps for the incorporation of the added areas of Clontarf, Drumcondra and Glasnevin, and the New Kilmainham Wards in the city Parliamentary representation, either have them so constituted that they would be independently represented either in the Imperial or the Dublin Parliament as city, and not as rural, constituencies, as they are at present, while for municipal and other fiscal purposes they are regarded as portion of the city.

The resolution, having been seconded, was adopted.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL HIPPODROME.

Branaby Williams heads another fine programme at the Theatre Royal Hippodrome this week. Mr. Williams is widely known for his impersonations of characters in Dickens' Works, and as a "reciter" of dramatic stories. He has this year turned his attention to more humorous subjects—it is hoped only temporarily—and has launched out in a lengthy one-man sketch, to which he has given the title "The Stage Door Keeper's Revue." In the course of the performance many well known actors and comedians are impersonated with remarkable fidelity, to the great delight of the audience, who are quick to appreciate the skill of the actor. The confidences of the old door-keeper are very amusing, and the whole sketch was received with marked favour. Mr. Williams, however, is ill-advised in crossing the orchestra in search of "points" for his wit. Even distinguished artists should keep to the stage. Sammy Shields, the Scottish comedian, is also inclined to offend in this respect. Sammy's description of the football match is inimitable. It is the best thing he has yet done, and evokes roars of laughter. Le Volt is appropriately described as the "one-legged marvel." He puts up an excellent show, and Lumino gives a number of dances illustrating different styles of the art, and in each instance displays much neatness and skill. Warwick Pryce, a piano entertainer, is a welcome visitor, not new to Dublin. As a first-class artist, he is a welcome visitor. His performance is full of merit. Phyllis Archbold, an operatic soprano, sings with artistic ability. Last night she sang an excerpt from "Tosca" and an Irish song. A novel show was staged by the Six Cevlons, clever acrobats and trick cyclists, who are good. The bioscope pictures also entertain the audience.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Powerful drama, with striking incidents, is found in "The Blind Girl's Rosary." The story is that of a blind girl, Christine Eoyce, who is deprived of her position as wife of Sir Milton Eoyce through a piece of his humour, turned to his own advantage by a pair of schemers, Maurice and Adrienne de Renaul. Nothing is too malicious or mean for this precious pair, who worm themselves into Sir Milton's house, Adrienne wasting the place of his wife, and attempt his murder by slow poisoning. A treacherous sloot by her partner in crime restores the lost memory, and Sir Milton Royce recognises the conspirators, and after a thrilling struggle with the former, he foils their true wile once more. There are plenty of exciting moments, and the scenes are laid in Egypt, Monte Carlo, and Scotland, and, passing through dangers and difficulties, the devotees of crime are conquered, and virtue comes into its own. Miss Hilda Maitland makes the character of Adrienne powerful, and Mr. Campbell Goldsmid plays effectively the important part of Eugene Stenzi, an engineer. There is a bluff, strong-minded doctor, who traces the poison, a character sustained adequately by Mr. R. W. Bretton; a humorous Frenchman portrayed by Mr. Sydney Bryant, and an amusing "nut" in the person of Mr. E. H. Jordan.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

The programme arranged for this week at the Empire Theatre is in every way in keeping with the high standard which the Dublin public expects at this popular music hall. The performance throughout is one of even merit, all the items being thoroughly enjoyable. A clever juggling display is given by Mr. Ben Beldonini, who performs many tricks which are not often seen. Miss Kitty Clinton, who is constituted that they would be independently represented either in the Imperial heartily appreciated, especially a selection of popular Irish airs. Geo. Garrick, in a humorous variety artist, scored instant success with his catchy songs, while the humorous gallies of Billy Brown and Miss Lily Lawrence kept the whole audience in good humour. A very enjoyable feature of the programme was the musical specialty provided by the Rosaire Trio. Certainly gave a graceful display of wire-walking, and also proved himself to be an entertaining artiste. Barlow and Leslie, who made a very elegant speech. They got a very encouraging and a very substantial concession from the Prime Minister, and he thought the best thing they could do would be to let the matter go to the special meeting on Friday, at which they could discuss the special report of the deputation, a copy of which he submitted. Both the deputation and the Irish representation present came away quite satisfied that their demands were going to be fully met. The bill was already printed, and in a very short time important powers would be granted to the Corporation.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

MARKETS CLOSED OVER LOWEST, MARCONIS-GOOD.

DUBLIN, MONDAY EVENING.

There was still a tendency to realise on the Exchange owing to the continuing effect of the advance in the official value of money, but towards the close a steadier tone and tendency developed at the lower levels reached. The Funds ruled further. Consols did not quote, but War Loan 4½ p.c. fell ⅜. In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Pref. rose ¼, and previous prices were paid for the Ords., and also Dublin Distillers Ord., while the Pref. of the latter closed bid for. There was firm support and attention given to Marconi issues. The Ord. rose 6d. to 6¾. 6d., the Pref. 6d. to 5⅝. 6d., and Americans 6d. to 12s. 6d., while do. Cassels realised 10s. 6d. Very little business was current in Home Railways, and no alteration is shown in prices of the few stocks quoted. Barrow Guaranteed ¼ shares were ⅛pm, but almost neglected. Tramways were firm, but idle. Provincial Ords. appear scarce. Dublin United "B" ¼ pm. Bank issues were supported at last prices. Dunlop Rubber Ord. further slipped back. Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 1s. to 42s. 6d., but the Pref. were better at 23s. Preferred Ord. relapsed 4½d. to 25s. 9d., and the Pref. 1½d. to 16s. 4½d. French Dunlop Income Bonds were again supported at 71½. Johnston Bakery Ord. Shares rose ½ to ¾ for an exceptional lot. Textiles eased on lower prices from the other side. Calico Printers fell 5d. to 11s. Costa Ord. ¼ to 6¾., and Ringwood Cotton Ord. 6d. to 47s., after all offered at 48s. 3d. were absorbed. White Tomkins and Courage Ord. were 3d. dearer at 21s. Burke Pref. fell 6d. to 87½, and Dublin South City Markets 1s. 3d. to 75s.

Other business done included Exchequer 5 p.c. 1920 Redeemable Bonds, which realised 99-⅝.

BANK OF IRELAND RATE, 6 PER CENT. ALLOWANCE ON DEPOSITS, 3 PER CENT.

	Previous Price.	Business Done.	Nominal Done for Cash, 1 o'clock Bid.	Ask'd.
Government Funds, etc.				
War Loan 4½ % Stock...	94⅞	94⅞	—	—
5 p.c. 1919-47 Bonds...	99½	99½	—	—
3½ p.c. India Stock...	71¼	70⅞	—	—
Dublin Corpn. 3½ %...	68	68	—	—
Banks.				
Bank of Ireland...	193	193	—	—
Munster and Leinster...	6¼	6¼	—	—
Breweries and Distilleries.				
Dublin Distillers Ord...	16⅜	16⅜	—	—
Guinness Ord...	24	24	—	—
Guinness ½ Cnfs. Pref...	11¼	11¼	—	—
Telegraphs and Telephones.				
Marconi's Wireless Tel. Ord.	6⅜*	6⅜	6⅜	—
Marconi's ¼ Cum. Pref...	5/-	5/-	—	—
Railways and Tramways.				
G.S. and West. Ord. Orig	83¼	83¼	—	—
do. 5% 2 Mort. 4 % Pf.	101½	81½	—	—
do. 5 p.c. Deb.	83	83	—	—
Belfast & Clarenmorris	96	96	—	—
Dub. United 5½ % B Deb.	70½	70½	—	—
Miscellaneous.				
Patent Fuel Ord.	25/6	25/3	12	15/-
Jacob Tyre Cum. Pref.	11/6	10/6¼	—	—
Johnson & Rooney Ord...	17/-	17/-	—	—
Calico Printers Ord...	11⅛	11	—	—
Costa Ord.	6¾	6¾	—	—
Dunlop Rubber Co. 7½ cum. Income Stock...	17/3½	17/2¼	—	—
Reg. Sewing Cotton Ord...	46/-	46/9	47/-	—
Tedcastle Ord...	19/6	20/-	—	—
Wm. Tomkins Ord...	21/	21/-	—	—
Burke 6 % Pref.	87½	87½	—	—
Dublin Sth. City Markets	74⅜	75	—	—

* Ex-dividend; † exceptional amount at special price; ‡‡ Free of stamp duty. Business commences at 10 o'clock noon.

Stock Exchange closed on Saturdays.

OTHER BUSINESS DONE—11.45 o'clock.

Dunlop Rubber Co. Ord. 42/6
Do. Pref. 21/-
Exchequer 5 p.c. Bonds, 1920 ..... 99⅝ ¼
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of America... 5/8
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of Canada... 10/9

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed July 13th, 1916) 6 p.c.

The clearing banks were still asking 5 per cent. for loans, but privately sellers were prepared to let the demand was not keen, and there was a good deal of loose money offering at 4½ per cent. Several of the Banks are supported at last prices. Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 1s. to 42s. 6d., but the Pref. were better at 23s. Preferred Ord. relapsed 4½d. to 25s. 9d., and the Pref. 1½d. to 16s. 4½d. French Dunlop Income Bonds were again supported at 71½. Johnston Bakery Ord. Shares rose ¼ to ¾ for an exceptional lot. Textiles eased on lower prices from the other side. Calico Printers fell 5d. to 11s. Costa Ord. ¼ to 6¾., and Ringwood Cotton Ord. 6d. to 47s., after all offered at 48s. 3d. were absorbed. White Tomkins and Courage Ord. were 3d. dearer at 21s. Burke Pref. fell 6d. to 87½, and Dublin South City Markets 1s. 3d. to 75s.

Other business done included Exchequer 5 p.c. 1920 Redeemable Bonds, which realised 99-⅝.

BANK OF IRELAND RATE, 6 PER CENT. ALLOWANCE ON DEPOSITS, 3 PER CENT.

	Previous Price.	Business Done.	Nominal Done for Cash, 1 o'clock Bid.	Ask'd.
Government Funds, etc.				
War Loan 4½ % Stock...	94⅞	94⅞	—	—
5 p.c. 1919-47 Bonds...	99½	99½	—	—
3½ p.c. India Stock...	71¼	70⅞	—	—
Dublin Corpn. 3½ %...	68	68	—	—
Banks.				
Bank of Ireland...	193	193	—	—
Munster and Leinster...	6¼	6¼	—	—
Breweries and Distilleries.				
Dublin Distillers Ord...	16⅜	16⅜	—	—
Guinness Ord...	24	24	—	—
Guinness ½ Cnfs. Pref...	11¼	11¼	—	—
Telegraphs and Telephones.				
Marconi's Wireless Tel. Ord.	6⅜*	6⅜	6⅜	—
Marconi's ¼ Cum. Pref...	5/-	5/-	—	—
Railways and Tramways.				
G.S. and West. Ord. Orig	83¼	83¼	—	—
do. 5% 2 Mort. 4 % Pf.	101½	81½	—	—
do. 5 p.c. Deb.	83	83	—	—
Belfast & Clarenmorris	96	96	—	—
Dub. United 5½ % B Deb.	70½	70½	—	—
Miscellaneous.				
Patent Fuel Ord.	25/6	25/3	12	15/-
Jacob Tyre Cum. Pref.	11/6	10/6¼	—	—
Johnson & Rooney Ord...	17/-	17/-	—	—
Calico Printers Ord...	11⅛	11	—	—
Costa Ord.	6¾	6¾	—	—
Dunlop Rubber Co. 7½ cum. Income Stock...	17/3½	17/2¼	—	—
Reg. Sewing Cotton Ord...	46/-	46/9	47/-	—
Tedcastle Ord...	19/6	20/-	—	—
Wm. Tomkins Ord...	21/	21/-	—	—
Burke 6 % Pref.	87½	87½	—	—
Dublin Sth. City Markets	74⅜	75	—	—

* Ex-dividend; † exceptional amount at special price; ‡‡ Free of stamp duty. Business commences at 10 o'clock noon.

Stock Exchange closed on Saturdays.

OTHER BUSINESS DONE—11.45 o'clock.

Dunlop Rubber Co. Ord. 42/6
Do. Pref. 21/-
Exchequer 5 p.c. Bonds, 1920 ..... 99⅝ ¼
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of America... 5/8
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of Canada... 10/9

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LONDON STOCK MARKETS QUIET.

HOME RAILS REACT. AMERICANS BETTER.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT)

LONDON, MONDAY.

The Stock Exchange did not commence the week brilliantly. A very moderate degree of activity ruled, and prices were heavy under the lead of the Gilt-edged group. The splendid war news in these circumstances fell flat, and, though there was nothing wrong with underlying conditions and selling was nowhere of important proportions, the lack of active support prevented any good recovery. Even on declines the outlook is still regarded with a good deal of uncertainty. Home Government issues flattened in most directions. Consols weakened ½ to ⅝. The 3½ p.c. War Loan, at 86¾, was ¼ down, and the 4½ p.c. Loan fell ⅜ to 94⅞. It is understood that the Stock Exchange Committee on the 14th of next month will resume the publication of double quotations in the daily official list instead of single quotations approximating to the last recorded transaction. Colonial issues were irregular, but fractional falls predominated. New Zealand New Fours were the most active features, and closed at 85¾ after being either side of that quotation.

Consols	59 - ½	Bank of Eng....	211½ - ¾
War Loan 5%	100 - ⅛	Lloyds	44 - ½
Irish Land 2½ p.c.	50¼ -	do. 7 p.c.	60¾ - ¾
War Loan, 4½ p.c.	94⅞ - ⅜	Port of Lon. 5½ p.c.	101¾
do. 1918	96⅜ -		

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS

Alberta 4½ 1943.	88¾ + ¼	Quebec 4½ 1954..	89
Australian 5 p.c. 1945	99	do. 4½ 1950-60..	86¾
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941..	90	do. 4½ 1950-70..	86¾
Do. 5 p.c. 1935-55	99	Sask'wan 4½ '19..	86¾
do. 4½ 1960-65..	87½	do. 4½ 1941..	86¾
do. 4½ 1962-72..	87½	do. 4½ 1942-52..	86¾
do. 4½ 1971-81..	87½	do. 4½ 1950-60..	86¾
Canada 4½ 1938..	93¾ - ¼	S. Australia 4½ '35	86¾
Do. 4½ 1940..	93¾ - ¼	do. 5 1923-53..	100⅜ - ⅛
Do. 4½ 1960..	86¾ - ¼	Tasmania 4½ '40..	86¾
do. 4½ 1962-67..	86¾ - ¼	do. 4½ 1920-60..	86¾
do. 4½ 1963..	86¾ - ¼	W. Austr'a 4, 43-61	83½ + ¼
N. Zeal'd 4½ 1940..	86¾ - ¼		

FOREIGN BONDS DULL.

In the Foreign market price changes were usually of a narrow and hesitating character. Among Greek descriptions, the 4 p.c. Funding Loans seesawed between 49¾ and 50, the latter gave way to 61. Japanese quotations during the greater part of the day moved irregularly, movements not exceeding ¼ to ½ either way. Chinese Bonds also recorded many irregular variations, but the Fives of 1912 lost nearly a point at 75.

Argentine, 1886..	97	Italian Rentes ..	63¼
do. 4 p.c. Rst..	78¾	Japan 4½ p.c. 1st..	94⅝
do. 5 p.c. 1907..	91 - ¼	do. 4½ p.c. 1905..	94⅝
Brazil 4 p.c. 1889..	59	do. 4½ p.c. 1907..	79¾ - ¼
do. 4 p.c. 1911..	57 - 1	do. New 5 p.c....	91¾ - ¼
do. 5 p.c. 1895..	67	Mexican 5% 1899..	23
do. 5 p.c. Rim..	63½ - ¼	Peruvian Corp....	47½
Chinese 5 % 1896..	75	do. 5%	39½
do. 4½ p.c....	52¼ - ¼	do. Deb.....	34
do. 5 p.c. 1911..	78¾ - ¼	Portuguese 3p.c..	33
Egyptian Un....	89	Russian 4 p.c....	72¾
German 3 p.c....	68¾	do. 5 p.c. 1906..	91
do. 4 p.c....	78¾	Spanish 4 p.c....	82
Hungarian 4	51¾ - ¼	Uruguay 3½p.c...	85

HOME RAILS LOWER.

In the Home Railway market sales were nowhere heavy, but they predominated. The Heavies, as usual, came in for chief attention. Great Westerns proved a soft spot, and relapsed 1½ to ⅝. Among Passenger Stocks Brighton Defd. was offered back ½ to 64¼. Chathams shed ¼, but the 1st Prefd. at 64 was ⅜ better. Underground Electrics lost ¼ under Yerkes, and to 58. Scotch Stocks tended against other lines and there.

Brighton.....	63⅞ - ⅜	L. & N.W. Pf....	108⅝ - ⅛
do. "A"....	64¼ - ¼	L. & S.W. Ord....	93½ - ⅝
Caledonian.....	94	L. & S.W.	99
do. Def. Ord....	86¼ - ¼	do. 4% Deb....	86½
do. Pref. Ord....	45¾	do. New 5 p.c....	101 - ¼
Cent. London Def.	21	Metropolitan	36
Chatham.....	39 - ¼	do. Pref.	64
do. Pref.....	64 - ¼	do. District	19 - ⅛
do. 1st Pref....	64¼ - ¼	Midland Def.	85¾
Gt. Central Def.	67½	5th. British Def.	16⅜ - ⅛
Gt. Eastern	59¾	6th. British Con.	16⅜ - ⅛
Gt. N. Pref.....	74⅝ - ⅜	do. 4% p.c. Pf.	86½
do. Def.....	39⅝ - ⅜	8th. Eastern Def.	28⅜
Gt. Northern	86¾ - ⅛	do. 5 p.c. Pref...	89⅝
Hull & Barnsley..	43	Taff Vale.....	40⅜
Lanes. & Yorks...	78¾ - ¼		

AMERICANS BETTER.

Americans were firm on the whole, but local dealings were inconsiderable. Pennsylvanias showed fair briskness, but finished ¼ down at 59. In the general list gains of ¼ to ½ were in a majority. Steel Pref. was put back ½.

Atchison.....	108¼ - ¼	N.Y. Ontario....	27⅛ + ⅛
do. Pref.....	103⅞	Norfolk.....	135⅜
Balt. & Ohio....	67 - ¼	Pennsylvania....	59 - ¼
Chesapeake.....	64 - ⅛	Reading.....	101⅜
Chicago Mil.....	56	Southern.....	30
do. Pref.....	83¼ - ¼	Southern Pac....	101⅝ - ⅜
Erie.....	35¾ - ¼	Un. Pacific.....	144⅛ + ⅜
do. 1st Pref....	49	Wabash (New)....	12
Illinois Central..	109	do. Pref. "A"..	32
Louisville.....	133½	Inter. Mer. M'rine	31
Missouri, Kan. ..	20	Do. Pref.....	87¼
Nat. Mexico.....	21⅛	U.S. Steel.....	88¾
Nat. Mex. Pref..	41⅝	do. Pref. Stock..	112¼ - ⅛
N.Y. & H. R.....	107¼ - ¼		

CANADIANS AND MEXICANS QUIET.

Canadian Pacifics rose ½. Only eight deals were recorded. Grand Trunk Stocks were sluggish. The 2nd Pref. was ¼ down.

Mexican Rails drooped, but recovered. Among Argentine Rails there were a few falls of ½ in extent. Brazilian Rails were without feature.

Can. Pacific	167¼ + ¾	Brazil 5 p.c. Pref.	16
do. Rec. 3¼ Deb.	74¾	Brazil 4½ Mort..	33½ + ¼
do. Ord. Stock..	64	Mexican 4 p.c....	23½
Grand Trunk....	12	R. Ayres Prefs..	46¾ - ¼
do. 2nd Pref....	6	R. Ayres 4 Wat..	79¾ - ¼
do. 1st Pref....	70	Can. Argentine Or	79½
do. 2nd Pref....	39	do. 6 p.c. Notes..	100½
do. 3rd Pref....	20	Central Uruguay..	20
do. 4 p.c. Deb....	74¾ - ¾	Costa Rica.....	30
do. Pan.4 p.c. R.	75	Entre Rios.....	61
Antofagasta Pf. Or	88	do. 5 p.c. Pref...	64½
do. Def.....	87	Mexican Rails....	17⅞
Do. 5 p.c. Notes	102½	do. 6 p.c. Pref..	64½
Argentine G.W....	61¾	do. 6 p.c. Pref..	34½ - ¼
Central Argentine	86 - ¼	Nitrate Rails....	5⅜
Costa Rica.....	29	San Paulo.....	195
do. 4½ 2nd Pref.	73¾ - ¾	Tramways.....	54
Brazil Rail.....	7	United Havana..	84¾ - ¼

BANKS.

Agricul. Mercht	89⅜ - ⅛	Lon. W'minster.	183½ - ¼
Anglo-Egypt	11⅝ - ¼	Lon. Joint Stock.	23¼ + ¼
A.-South Amer....		National	17¼
Bank Australasia	19½ + ¼	National Egypt..	12⅜
Bank N.S.W....	35⅞	National Prov....	23½
Barclay's	83½ - ¼	Parrs Bank	56
Capital & Co....	23¾ - ¼	St'dard & Afrian.	11 - ¼
Hong Kong.....	75¾ - ¼	Union of Lon....	31
Lloyd's	44½ - ½	U. S Smiths	23½ † - ¼
London E. Plate	42		

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES.

Anglo-Amer. Def.	22	Marconi Amer'n	17⅜ - ⅛
Marconi	6⅜* - ⅛	do. Spanish	10⅝
do. Pref.....	5⅛ - ⅛	West India.....	22⅛
do. Coasts	10⅜ - ⅛		

BREWERIES.

Allsopp Pref. Ord.	3	Guinness' Pref	117⅞
do. 5 p.c. Pref.	4¾	Ohlson's	66⅞
Barnsley	13⅜	Sth. London	27⅝
Bartholomay	40⅝	do. Pref.....	90
Bass Pref.	79	South African	31⅜ - 1/2
Guinness	262		

LAND SHARES.

Aboukir.....	14⅜	Hudson's Bay	7⅞
Argentine N'th's	10 9-16	Nigers.....	24⅜ - ⅛
do. Southern	34 9/16	Peek Bros.....	85½ / 3
Brit. N. Borneo...	14⅜	do. Shares	18⅜
Forestal	58⅜		

HOME, COLONIAL AND FOREIGN ELECTRIC RAILWAY AND POWER COMPANIES.

Anglo-Arg. 1st Pf.	78⅜ - ⅜	Mexican Trams ..	17⅜ + ⅛
Brazilian Trac....	45⅛ - ⅛	do. Power.....	87
Brit. Col. Elec. Pf.	82	Portland Bonds ..	80½ - ¼
do. Ord.	65¾	Rio Janeiro.....	86
Mex. L't & Pow.	16⅜	Shaw, Wtr. Db..	82½
do. Bonds	71	Toronto Pr., Db.	91¾
Mexico Tel. R. Db	96⅝	Under. Electric..	39 - ¼
Montevey Deb. ...	28	do. Income Bds.	68 - ⅛

MISCELLANEOUS.

Anglo-Russ. Tex....	—	John Brown	23⅜
Armstrong	33⅜	Kent Coal Con....	10⅜
A. Pet Cons.	19⅜	Kynoch	31⅜
do. Pref.....	19⅜	do. (Arkless)	20
do. 2nd Deb....	81½ + ½	Lino. Mach. "A"	65¾
Borax	21⅜	do. "B"	60
do. Def.....	7⅝ + ⅛	Lipton.....	13⅜ + 1/6
Brit. Oil Cake....	29⅜ + ⅛	Lyons	39½ + 1/6
Brunner Mond....	91⅞	Maypole Def.	24⅜
Camwell Laird....	64	National Explos.	17⅜
Cargo Fleet.....	17⅜	Pahang	11⅜
Cook, Son & Co....	8⅜ - ⅛	Ranks	39⅜
Crosrd Ord.	29⅜	Pease	14⅜
Eadmans	84½	P. & O. Def.	83 + 1
Elect. Trust Whsy	4⅜	Pearson & Knwls	7⅜
Gramophone....	24⅜	Royal Mail Ord.	12⅜ - ⅛
Harrod's	79⅜ - 1/3	Shipstr'd Pref....	7⅜
Home & Col. Pf.	5⅜ - ⅛	S. Durham Steel	31⅜
do. 4½ Deb....	73¾ - ¼	Tube Gen Berghm	30⅜
Brazil Rail.....	7	do. Def.....	29⅜ - ⅛

TEA SHARES.

Assam (£20	55	E.I. and Ceylon (£1).	47/-
Ceylon Plant	46 1-4/-	Empire (£1)	45/9
Doonrs (£1)	70⅞	Jokai	17⅛ + ⅛

† Ex div.

MANCHESTER STOCK EXCHANGE.

Textile Shares opened firmer. Bleachers Ord. in strong demand at the close. Coats lost 1/3, and Calicoes ½. Cheviot prices—

Bleachers	19/- 19/3	Coats	64 - ⅛
Do. Pref.....	20/9 21/-	Sewing Cotton	46/6 47/6
Bradford Dy.	26/9 26/9	Do. Pref.....	19/9 20/-
Do. Pref.....	19/- 19/3	Fine Spinners.	28/9 29/3
Calicoes	6/- 6/3	Velvet Dyers....	25/6 26/-
Calico Printers.	10/9 11/-	Do. Pref.....	18/- 18/6
Do. Pref.	16/6 17/-		

LONDON MINING MARKET DULL.

There was no increase in the volume of dealings in the Mining market, and conditions were dull in most directions. Kaffirs were a colourless appearance and Rhodesians lacked stability, though they did not lose ground materially. Diamonds were slow. In the base metal group, Tintos were offered on fresh account, and other shares were flabby in sympathy with copper and tin quotations. The former fell £3 and the latter £2 10s. per ton. Westralians were slow and backsliding, while Russians were without further good support. The Tanganyika meeting has been postponed until October, owing to the impossibility of completing the accounts as the result of the war. Globe and Phœnix were better at 25/9. Russians finished dearer.

Associated N. Blks.	3/6 - 3d.	Knight's Cent..	14/- 6d.
Alaska Try'dwall	1/-	Modder	17½ + ¼
Burma Corpn....	3½	Rio Tin	37/-
Bkn. Hill North.	46/- 6d.	Oroville Dredging	18/- 6d.
Rio Tinto	61 - ¼	Peyco	7
Bullfinch	4/9 - 3d.	Premier Dia.	5⅞ + ⅛
Cloncurry	7/9 - 6d.	Randfontein	13/9 - 3d.
Con. Mines Sel.	17/6 - 1/-	Randf. Cen.	2/10 - 3d.
Cent. Mining	64 + ¼	Rhod. Dev.	4⅜ - 3d.
E. Rand Est....	2⅞ - 3d.	Sulphd. Cr.	27/-
Esperanza.....	12/3 - 3d.	Van Ryn	2¼ -
Goldfields of S.A.	13/-	Vaal River	1⅞ + ⅛
Geduld	43/3 + 3d.		

RUBBER SHARES QUIET.

There was not much going on among Rubber Shares. The raw material held around 2/3d per lb., but share values were inclined to fluctuate within narrow limits. There was good support for some Java descriptions. Java Para rose 3/4d., and there were several smaller gains. Among the higher-priced shares, Bukit Rajahs were ¼ higher, and Linggis were 5d. up.

Anglo-Java	5/9 - 3d	Merliman	8/1½ - 1d
Anglo-Malay	11/9 + 3d	Perak Plant.	6/3 + 6d
Bekoh	3/6 + 1d	Port Dickson....	3/3 - 6d
Bukit Kajang..	6/- + 1/-	Sedenak	2/8 - 3d
Bukit Mertajam	4/10½ + 1d	Segamat	3/4/6 - 10d
Bukit Rajah	4/7½ + 3d	Selangor	3/10½ - 3d
B. Sembawang ..	3/3 - 1d	Sengat	2/9½ + 1d
Chein	3/7½ - 1d	Serdang	2/7½ - 1d
Dangan	2/11 - 4d	Sing. Para	3/11½ + 1d
Highlands	52/9 + 3d	Straits Bertam	5/1½ + 1d
Java Para	2/10½ + 3d	Sungei Salak ..	2/10½ + 1d
Java Para	29/11 + 6d	Talping	3/9 - 1d
Johore Rub.	36/10½ - 1/3	Tampoi	3/6 + 1d
Kepitigalla	23/3 - 1d	U. Serdang ..	19/3 + 1d
Langkat Sum.	50/6 + 1/6	Vallambrosa ..	17/6 + 6d
Lon. Asiatic..	7/14 + 1d	Way-Hailm	1/7½ - d.
Malaysian..	29/10½ + 3d		

OIL SHARES STEADY.

Dealings among Oil Shares were light. The undertone was steady. Shells reacted 9d., and the Pref. was dull. Royal Dutch Shares lost 2.

Ang-Egypt B ..	7/11 + 4d	N. Caucasian ..	26/9 - 1d
Bakus	3/6	Premier Oil ..	3/3½ - 1d
Burmah	90/7½ + 1/-	Rum. Consol....	14/9 + 3d
Bnha Caspian..	4/3	Royal Dutch	4/3 + 1d
Kern River	8/7½	Schibaieff	7/9
Maikop Pipe	4/-	Shell	£5 5/1½ - 10d
Mexican	£5/6 + 4d	Shell Pref.....	14/10½ + 1d
Do. Pref.	35/6	Ural Caspian ..	3/6 - 7½d

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET BASIER.

Business moderate. Prices easier. Calthorpes higher. Triumps receded to 7/-. Humbers and Rovers easier.

Austin Pref. ..	17	Rovers	43
Beeston Pref. ..	5	Rudge-Whit....	25
Belsize Motor..	23	Singers	6
Calthorpes	19	Stars	12
Dennis	35	Sunbeams	72
Enfield Cycle..	35	Swifts	19
Do. Pref.	18	Dunlop Rubber.	30
Hampton	11	Do. Pref.	16
Do. Pref.	18	Parent Tyre Ord.	21
Premier	45	Do. Def.	25
Rolls Royce	45	Sund. Arms	46

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON—

Alliance			9½
Alliance New Shares		£11, £10	12½
Atlas			7½
Fire Alt and General			7½
Indemnity Mutual Marine			12½
Lon. Union and Rock			40
Sun Life			40

SALES IN LIVERPOOL—

Estate Fire			19½
Employers' Liability			2½
Caledonian			45½
Atlas Assurance			40½

Stocks marked (*) are for less than £1,000 of stock, or less than a marketable number of shares.

BELFAST STOCK EXCHANGE

BUSINESS DONE—

Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., Old.....			10½
Ulster Bank, Ltd.			10½
Provincial Bank, Ltd.			23½
Howard and Bullough, Ltd., Ord.....			38½
Belfast Ice & Cold Storage, Ltd....			21½
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.			21/3

DIVIDENDS, REPORTS, AND MEETINGS.

DUBLIN SOUTH CITY MARKETS.—2/- per share, free of tax; £2961 to depreciation, and £5,438 forward.

BRADFORD STEAMSHIP.—10/- per share.

ST. JUST STEAMSHIP.—10/- per share.

GREAD CITY STEAMSHIP.—Nil per share.

NORTHERN CORPORATION.—Interim at the rate of 5 per cent. on Ord.

LINOLEUM MANUFACTURING.—5 per cent. per annum.

BEESLEY, HARDY, AND WILLIS.—Interim at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum on Ord.

NEW WESTMINSTER.—Final at the rate of 7 per cent., per annum on Ord. for the half-year.

CROMPTON AND CO.—7 per cent. per annum on Pref.

FORE STREET WAREHOUSE.—Interim at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

CLYDESDALE (TRANSVAAL) COLLIERIES.—Dividend of 2½ per cent.

WILLIAM HILL RIDDELL.—Interim at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on Ord.

DELAHAY AND CO.—Supplemental dividend of 3 per cent. on Pref.-Ord. and 5/10 per share for the year on Ord.

EMPIRE TRANSPORT.—10 per cent. and bonus of 1/- per share (together 35 per share) on Ord., making 50 per cent. for the year.

UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA.—10 per cent. per annum and bonus of 2 per cent., both free of income tax.

MALAYAN RUBBER, LOAN, AND AGENCY.—5 per cent. per annum and bonus at the rate of 7.70 per cent.

BLACKWATER MINES.—A further dividend of 1/- per share, free of tax, was declared and paid on the 2nd inst.

THE BANK OF VICTORIA, LTD.—Dividends on the Pref. and the Ord. Shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, recommended.

SAO PAULO TRAMWAY, LIGHT, AND POWER COMPANY, LTD.—Quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. on the Common Stock declared.

VICKERS, LTD., SHEFFIELD.—Owing to the time required for preparing the balance sheet and statements necessary to comply with the provisions of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915 (Excess Profits Duty), it announces that the accounts for the past year are still incomplete, but that the annual meeting will be held on 26th inst. It is directed, however, that the annual general meeting that must be held in accordance with the Companies Acts not later than fifteen months from the date of the last annual general meeting. In order, however, to comply with the requirements of the said Acts, the annual general meeting will be held at the Royal Victoria Station Hotel, Sheffield, on Wednesday, the 26th inst., at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, when a resolution will be proposed that the meeting do stand adjourned until the time at the accounts of the company for the past financial year are ready and can be presented thereat.

DUBLIN DISTILLERS COMPANY, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Dublin Distillers Co., Ltd., was held yesterday for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution to bring the Articles of Association of the company into conformity with the terms of the scheme of readjustment which was recently approved of by both the Ordinary and Preference shareholders.

The Secretary read the notice of the meeting by which the resolution was set out.

The Chairman, in making the motion, briefly explained that the business of the meeting was purely formal, and there was therefore no necessity to detain the shareholders more than a few minutes.

The resolution having been seconded by Mr. S. R. Watson was put to the meeting by the Chairman and carried unanimously.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

Country Air Association.—A Committee meeting of the above was held on Monday at 8 Dawson street. Present: Miss Hutton (chair), Mrs. Colles, Miss Warren, Mrs. E. J. Sull

AUCTIONS.

SALE THIS DAY (TUESDAY).

"ST. VALLERIE," BRAY,

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EDWARD STAUNTON and Others, Plaintiffs
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Dated this 13th day of July, 1916.
HUGH McCALMONT, Sheriff.
Terms of Sale—Cash. Sale to commence at 2 o'clock p.m.

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